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AD	<i>Anno Domini</i>	BE	Bithynio-Pontic Era	IY	Indictional Year
Æ	Bronze	BI	Billon	MBS	Mail Bid Sale
AE	Action Era	CE	Common Era	mm	Mintmark
AH	<i>Anno Hegirae</i>	Cf.	<i>Confer</i> (compare)	PB	Lead
AR	Silver	c/m	Countermark	p.	Page
AV	Gold	CY	Civic Year (Era)	pl.	Plate
BBS	Buy or Bid Sale	EL	Electrum	RPE	Roman Provincial Era
BC	Before Christ	FPL	Fixed Price List	RY	Regnal Year
BCE	Before the Common Era	g	Gram	SE	Seleukid Era

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ROMAN IMPERIAL COINAGE



985. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (21mm, 3.76 g, 2h). Emerita (Mérida) mint. P. Carisius, *legatus Augusti*. Struck circa 25-23 BC. IMP CAESAR AVGVST, bare head left / P • CARISIVS • LEG • PRO • PR, trophy of Celtiberian arms, consisting of helmet, cuirass, shield, and javelins, erected on heap of round shields, lances, and other arms. RIC I 4b; RSC 402; BMCRE 284-5 = BMCRR Spain 117-9; CRE Ashmolean 15; BN 1061-4. Good VF. (\$750)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 39 (18 September 1996), lot 1266.

986. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. Æ As (25mm, 10.65 g, 12h). Emerita (Mérida) mint. P. Carisius, *legatus Augusti*. Struck circa 25-23 BC. CAESAR AVG TRIBVNIC • POTES, bare head right / P • CARISIVS/LEG/AVGVSTI in three lines. RIC I 19 = Hunter C 3667; Martini, *Augustus* –; BMCRE –; CRE Ashmolean –; BN –. Near EF, dark green patina, trace of smoothing. Extremely rare variety with this obverse legend. (\$500)



987. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.54 g, 6h). Colonia Patricia(?) mint. Struck circa 19 BC. CAESAR AVGVSTVS, bare head right / SIGNIS above, RECEPTIS below, S P Q R around, round shield inscribed CL • V; aquila and signum flanking. RIC I 86a; RSC 265; BMCRE 417-9 = BMCRR Rome 4397-9; BN 1132-6; Kampmann 12 (this coin). EF, iridescent tone, a few marks under tone, areas of minor porosity, traces of die rust, a few die breaks. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 65 (21 May 1996), lot 319.



988. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.77 g, 6h). Colonia Patricia(?) mint. Struck circa 19 BC. CAESAR AVGVSTVS, bare head left / SIGNIS above, RECEPTIS below, S P Q R around, round shield inscribed CL • V; aquila and signum flanking. RIC I 86b; cf. RSC 267; BMCRE 420-1 = BMCRR Rome 4402; CRE Ashmolean 75-6; BN 1140 (same obv. die). EF, iridescent toning. (\$2000)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Fred Shore FPL 65 (1995), no. 52.



989. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.79 g, 5h). Colonia Patricia(?) mint. Struck 17-16 BC. S P Q R CAES[ARI] AVGVSTO, bare head right / VOT • P • SV[SC • PRO • S]AL • ET • RED • I • OM • SACR •, Mars, nude but for *sagum* from shoulders over left arm, standing left on ground line, holding vexillum in right hand and cradling parazonium in left. RIC I 150a; RSC 325; BMCRE 438-9 = BMCRR Rome 4459-60; BN 1242-5. EF, attractive gray cabinet tone, traces of die rust on obverse, a few shallow scratches on reverse under tone. (\$2000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Numismatic Fine Arts, 16 March 1989.



990. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (17.5mm, 3.81 g, 9h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck 15 BC. AVGVSTVS DIVI • F, bare head right / IMP X across field, ACT in exergue, Apollo Citharoedus of Actium, wearing long drapery, standing facing, head left, holding plectrum in right hand and lyre in left. RIC I 171a; Lyon 28; RSC 144; BMCRE 461-2 = BMCRR Gaul 175-6; BN 1397-8. Near EF, toned, traces of die rust, small die break on reverse. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Hess-Leu 41 (24 April 1969), lot 82.



991. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.91 g, 9h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck 2 BC-AD 12. CAESAR AVGVSTVS DIVI F PATER PATRIAE, laureate head right / AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC [IVVEN]T, [C] L CAESARES in exergue, Gaius and Lucius Caesar, on left and right, standing facing, each togate and resting a hand on one of two shields set on ground between them; behind the shields, two spears; above, on left, simpulum right, and on right, lituus left. RIC I 206; Lyon 81; Calicó 176; Biaggi 93; BMCRE 513-8; BN 1648-50. EF, lustrous, traces of die rust and deposits, a few shallow scratches and marks. Portrait of artistic merit. (\$7500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 91 (10 May 2004), lot 504.

The Celebrated Altar of Lugdunum



992. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Sestertius (37mm, 25.15 g, 12h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck AD 10-14. CAESAR AVGVSTVS DIVI F PATER PATRIAE, laureate head right / ROM ET AVG in exergue, the Great Altar of Lugdunum: altar enclosure with panels decorated with *corona civica* flanked by figures holding laurel branches; decoration along roofline; altar flanked by columns surmounted by statues of Victory standing vis-à-vis, each holding palm frond in left hand over left shoulder and wreath in right hand. RIC I 231a; Martini, *Augustus* 1212-3; Lyon 95 (D – [unlisted obv. die]/R504); BMCRE 565; BN 1695-1706. VF, red patina, some tan and brassy highlights, minor roughness, smoothing and cleaning marks. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica E (4 April 1995), lot 2819.



993. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. (18mm, 3.30 g, 4h). Rome mint. P. Petronius Turpilianus, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 19/8 BC. TVRPILIANVS • III VIR FE RON, draped bust of Feronia right, wearing stephane, above which is a row of berries, and pearl necklace; FER ON below bust / CAESAR AV GVSTVS SIGN RECE [•], bareheaded Parthian kneeling on right knee right, extending in right hand a standard, to which is attached a vexillum marked with X, and holding out left hand below left knee. RIC I 288; RSC 484; BMCRE 14/13 (obv./rev.); CRE Ashmolean 267; BN 129-32. EF, toned. (\$1500)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 39 (18 September 1996), lot 1270.



994. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 21.93 g, 12h). Rome mint; Ti. Sempronius Gracc(h)us, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 17 BC. OB above wreath, CIVIS within wreath, SERVATOS below wreath, oak wreath between two laurel branches / TI • SEMPRONIVS • GRACCVS • III • VIR • A • A • A • F • F • around large S • C. RIC I 348; Martini, *Augustus* 569-70; BMCRE 198 = BMCRR Rome 4611; BN 319-23. VF, brassy-brown patina, a little rough, slight die shift. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Richard Prideaux Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 78, 14 May 2008), lot 1666.

995. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 23.80 g, 2h). Rome mint; C. Cassius Celer, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 16 BC. OB above wreath, CIVIS within wreath, SERVATOS below wreath, oak wreath between two laurel branches / C • CASSIVS • C • F • CELER • III VIR • A • A • A • F • F • around large S C. RIC I 374; Martini, *Augustus* 459; BMCRE 165; CRE Ashmolean 516-7; BN 394-8. Good VF, hard brown surfaces, a few deposits. (\$750)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



996. **Augustus.** 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Sestertius (37.5mm, 24.43 g, 7h). Rome mint; C. Gallius Lupercus, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 16 BC. OB above wreath, CIVIS within wreath, SERVATOS below wreath, oak wreath, flanked by laurel branches / C • GALLIVS • C • F • LVPERCVS • III • VIR • A • A • A • F • F • around large S • C. RIC I 377; Martini, *Augustus* 494-500; BMCRE 171 = BMCRR Rome 4508; BN 415-20. VF, green and brown patina, some earthen deposits, a few marks, minor roughness, die break on reverse. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Vecchi 9 (4 December 1997), lot 199.

997. **Augustus.** 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Sestertius (34.5mm, 25.68 g, 2h). Rome mint; C. Plotius Rufus, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 15 BC. OB above wreath, CIVIS within wreath, SERVATOS below wreath, wreath between two laurel branches / C • PLOTIVS RVFVS • III • A • A • A • F • F • around large S • C. RIC I 387; Martini, *Augustus* 375-7; BMCRE 147-9 = BMCRR Rome 4634-6; BN 491-5. VF, dark green patina, gray deposits. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Richard Prideaux Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 78, 14 May 2008), lot 1675.



998. **Augustus.** 27 BC-AD 14. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.89 g, 7h). Rome mint; C. Antistius Reginus, moneyer. Struck 13 BC. CAESAR AVGVSTVS, bare head right / C • ANTISTIVS • REGINVS, III • VIR in exergue, sacrificial implements: simpulum and lituus above tripod and patera. RIC I 410; RSC 347; BMCRE 119-20 = BMCRR Rome 4661-2; BN 542-7. EF, iridescent tone, banker's mark on obverse, traces of die rust on reverse. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Vecchi 9 (4 December 1997), lot 132.



999. **Augustus.** 27 BC-AD 14. Æ Quadrans (18mm, 3.20 g, 1h). Rome mint; Lamia, Silius, Annius, *triumviri monetales*. Struck 9 BC. LAMIA • SILIVS • ANNIVS • around, clasped right hands holding vertical caduceus / III • VIR • A • A • A • F • F • around large S • C. RIC I 420; Martini, *Augustus* 604-21; BMCRE 200 = BMCRR Rome 4617; BN 568-78. EF, attractive, copper-brown surfaces. Exceptional. (\$300)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Richard Prideaux Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 78, 14 May 2008), lot 1682; Aretusa 2 (13 May 1994), lot 309.



1000. Augustus. 27 BC-AD 14. Æ As (31mm, 12.02 g, 12h). Rome mint; P. Lurius Agrippa, *triumvir monetalis*. Struck 7 BC. CAESAR AVGVST PONT MAX TRIBVNIC P OT, bare head right / P • LVRIVS • AGRI[PPA] • F • F • P • LVRIV • A • A • A • F • F • around large S • C. RIC 427; Martini, *Augustus* 679-727; BMCRE 209-13 = BMCRR Rome 4703-6; BN 621-39. Good VF, green patina, double struck, which explains the reverse legend. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Astarte XV (27 November 2004), lot 179.



1001. Divus Augustus. Died AD 14. Æ As (29mm, 10.40 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Tiberius, AD 31-37. DIVVS AVGVSTVS PATER, radiate head left / S C across field, PROVIDENT in exergue, altar, with closed, double-panelled door; acroteria above to left and right. RIC I 81 (Tiberius); BMCRE 146-50 (Tiberius); BN 131-5 (Tiberius). Near EF, brown-gray patina, areas of minor roughness, traces of earthen deposits. (\$1000)



1002. Divus Augustus. Died AD 14. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 26.49 g, 6h). Restitution issue. Rome mint. Struck under Nerva, AD 98. DIVVS • AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Divus Augustus right / IMP • NERVA CAESAR • AVGVSTVS • REST • around large S • C. RIC II 136 (Nerva); Komnick 4.0 (Nerva); BMCRE 149-152 (Nerva); BN 141-3 (Nerva). VF, dark green patina, some red, minor roughness and cleaning marks, traces of deposits. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Lucien Birkler, June 1989.



1003. Julia Augusta (Livia). Augusta, AD 14-29. Æ Dupondius (30mm, 13.95 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Tiberius, AD 22-23. SALVS • AVGVSTA below, bareheaded and draped bust of Julia Augusta (Livia) as Salus Augusta right, wearing waved hair and fastened in a knot at the back / TI • CAESAR • DIVI • AVG • F • AVG • P M • TR • POT • XXIII • around large S • C. RIC I 47 (Tiberius); BMCRE 81-4 (Tiberius); BN 63-7 (Tiberius). VF, green-brown patina, some red, minor roughness, earthen deposits, a few edge imperfections and an edge nick. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from R. M. Smythe, November 1999.



1004. Agrippa. Died 12 BC. Æ As (27mm, 10.29 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Gaius (Caligula), AD 37-41. M • AGRIPPA • L • F • COS • III, head left, wearing rostral crown / S C across field, Neptune standing left, naked except for cloak hanging over right arm, behind back and over left shoulder and upper arm, holding small dolphin in outstretched right hand, vertical trident in left. RIC I 58 (Gaius); BMCRE 161-8 (Tiberius); BN 77-97 (Caligula). EF, even, red-brown patina, some deposits. A handsome coin with an impressive portrait. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg XII (18 November 1982), lot 528.



1005. Agrippa. Died 12 BC. Æ As (27mm, 11.44 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Gaius (Caligula), AD 37-41. M • AGRIPPA • L • F • COS • III, head left, wearing rostral crown / S C across field, Neptune standing left, naked except for cloak hanging over right arm, behind back and over left shoulder and upper arm, holding small dolphin in outstretched right hand, vertical trident in left. RIC I 58 (Gaius); BMCRE 161-8 (Tiberius); BN 77-97 (Caligula). Near EF, attractive dark green patina, some earthen deposits. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Edward J. Waddell, April 1996.



1006. Tiberius. AD 14-37. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.77 g, 4h). "Tribute Penny" type. Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Group 5, AD 36-37. TI CAESAR DIVI AVGVSTVS, laureate head right; parallel ribbons / PONTIF MAXIM, Livia (as Pax) seated right, holding vertical scepter in right hand and olive branch in left, feet on footstool; ornate chair legs, single line below. RIC I 30; Lyon 152; RSC 16a; BMCRE 48-57; BN 32. Near EF, gray and iridescent tone. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Sternberg XV (11 April 1985), lot 324.



1007. Tiberius. AD 14-37. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.78 g, 6h). "Tribute Penny" type. Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Group 6, AD 36-37. TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head right; long, parallel ribbons / PONTIF MAXIM, Livia (as Pax) seated right, holding vertical scepter in right hand and olive branch in left, feet on footstool; ornate chair legs, single line below. RIC I 30; Lyon 154; RSC 16a; BMCRE 48-60; BN 33-4. Superb EF, toned, a pair of minor die breaks on obverse. Portrait in high relief. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex James Fox Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 40, 4 December 1996), lot 1348.

Exceptional Tiber Patina



1008. Tiberius. AD 14-37. Æ Dupondius (29mm, 14.75 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 22-23. IVSTITIA below, draped bust of Justitia right, wearing stephane ornamented with floral ornaments; her hair fastened in a knot at the back / TI • CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVG P M TR POT XXIII • large S • C. RIC I 46 (Tiberius); BMCRE 79-80 (Tiberius); BN 57-61 (Tiberius); AdG p. 39 (this coin). EF, lovely Tiber patina, minor surface roughness, traces of deposits. Fine style portrait. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 15 (18 May 1999), lot 279.



1009. Drusus. Died AD 23. Æ As (28.5mm, 11.52 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Tiberius, AD 22-23. DRVSVS CAESAR • TI • AVG • F • DIVI • AVG • N •, bare head left / PONTIF • TRIBVN • POTEST • ITER around large S • C. RIC I 45 (Tiberius); BMCRE 99-101 (Tiberius); BN 78-82 (Tiberius). Good VF, lovely brown patina. Attractive. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Spink Zürich 7 (8 June 1982), lot 79.



1010. Tiberius & Germanicus Gemellus. AD 19-37/8 and 19-23/4, respectively. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 26.74 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Tiberius, AD 22-23. Crossed cornucopias, each surmounted by bareheaded bust of a boy, vis-à-vis; vertical winged caduceus between / DRVSVS • CAESAR • TI • AVG • F • DIVI • AVG • N • PONT • TR • POT • II around large S • C. RIC I 42 (Tiberius); BMCRE 95-7 (Tiberius); BN 72-3 (Tiberius). VF, attractive mahogany surfaces, some green, traces of earthen deposits, a few areas of roughness. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from R. M. Smythe, August 2001.



1011. Antonia Minor. Augusta, AD 37 and 41. Æ Dupondius (28mm, 14.37 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Claudius, AD 41-42. ANTONIA AVGVSTA, bareheaded and draped bust right, wearing hair in long plait at back / TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG PM TR P IMP, S C across field, Claudius, veiled and togate, standing left, holding simpulum in right hand and resting left on his side. RIC I 92 (Claudius); von Kaenel Type 59 (unlisted dies); BMCRE 166-7 (Claudius); BN 143-51 (Claudius). Near EF, brown patina, some red and green, a few minor pits. Portrait of artistic merit. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Spink Zürich 7 (8 June 1982), lot 81.



1012. Antonia Minor. Augusta, AD 37 and 41. Æ Dupondius (29.5mm, 14.77 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Claudius, AD 41-42. ANTONIA AVGVSTA, bareheaded and draped bust right, wearing hair in long plait at back / TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG P M TR P IMP, S C across field, Claudius, veiled and togate, standing left, holding simpulum in right hand and resting left on his side. RIC I 92; von Kaenel Type 59 (unlisted dies); BMCRE 166-7; BN 204-6. VF, attractive, hard glossy green patina, small pit on reverse, traces of deposits, light cleaning marks. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Triton III (30 November 1999), lot 989.



1013. Germanicus. Died AD 19. Æ Dupondius (28mm, 15.90 g, 8h). Rome mint. Struck under Gaius (Caligula), AD 37-41. GERMANICVS/CAESAR in two lines above, Germanicus, bareheaded and draped, standing right in chariot, holding eagle-tipped scepter and reins in left hand, driving triumphal quadriga right; chariot decorated with figure of Victory advancing right, shield in front of her to right / SIGNIS RECEPT/DEVICTIS GERM/S C in three lines across field, Germanicus, bareheaded, wearing cuirass and short tunic, standing left, right leg bent at knee and drawn back behind left, extending right hand in gesture of command, cloak over left arm, holding aquila in left hand. RIC I 57 (Gaius); BMCRE 93-100 (Caligula); BN 140-51 (Caligula). Near EF, hard green and brown patina, traces of deposits and porosity, minor cleaning marks. (\$2000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from R. M. Smythe, January 2002.



1014. Germanicus. Died AD 19. Æ As (28mm, 11.03 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Gaius (Caligula), AD 37-38. GERMANICVS • CAESAR • TI • AVGVST • F • DIVI • AVG • N •, bare head left / C CAESAR • AVG • GERMANICVS • PON • M • TR • POT around large S • C. RIC I 35 (Gaius); BMCRE 49-51 (Caligula); BN 73-6 (Caligula). Good VF, red-brown patina, a small spot of green, traces of earthen deposits. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 54 (14 June 2000), lot 1441.



1015. Gaius (Caligula), with Divus Augustus. AD 37-41. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.43 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. 2nd emission, AD 37-38. C • CAESAR • AVG • GERM • P • M • TR • POT, laureate head of Gaius (Caligula) right / DIVVS • AVG PATER • PATRIAE, radiate head of Divus Augustus right. RIC I 16; Lyon 167; RSC 2; BMCRE 17; BN 21. Good VF, toned, a few minor scrapes in field under tone, edge marks. (\$3000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind.



1016. Gaius (Caligula). AD 37-41. AE As (29mm, 11.61 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 37-38. C • CAESAR • AVG • GERMANICVS • PON • M • TR • POT, bare head left / VESTA above, S C across field, Vesta, veiled and draped, seated left on ornamental throne, holding patera in outstretched right hand and transverse scepter in left. RIC I 38; BMCRE 45-8; BN 54-71. Near EF, dark gray-green patina, traces of deposits. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection, purchased from Leu, 17 October 1981.



1017. Gaius (Caligula). AD 37-41. AE As (29mm, 11.70 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 37-38. C • CAESAR • AVG • GERMANICVS • PON • M • TR • POT, bare head left / VESTA above, S C across field, Vesta, veiled and draped, seated left on ornamental throne, holding patera in outstretched right hand and transverse scepter in left. RIC I 38; BMCRE 45-8; BN 54-7. EF, dark green patina, traces of red. (\$2000)



1018. Gaius (Caligula). AD 37-41. AE Quadrans (18.5mm, 3.31 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 40. C • CAESAR • DIVI • AVG • PRON • AVG •, pileus between S C / PON • M TR • P • III • P P • COS • TERT • around R • C • C. RIC I 45; BMCRE 61-3; BN 107-8. Choice EF, dark green-brown patina, traces of earthen deposits. (\$300)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg X (25 November 1980), lot 274.



1019. Claudius. AD 41-54. Æ As (29mm, 11.24 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 41-42. TI CLAVDIVS • CAESAR • AVG P M TR P IMP, bare head left / LIBERTAS AVGVSTA, S C across field, Libertas, draped, standing right, holding pileus in right hand and extending left hand. RIC I 97; von Kaenel Type 62; BMCRE 145-6; BN 177-8. Good VF, attractive mahogany brown surfaces. Bold portrait. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Vecchi 13 (4 September 1998), lot 742.



1020. Claudius. AD 41-54. Æ As (28.5mm, 12.76 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 42-43. TI CLAVDIVS • CAESAR • AVG P M TR P • P • IMP • P P, bare head left / LIBERTAS AVGVSTA, S C across field, Libertas, draped, standing right, holding pileus in right hand and extending left hand. RIC I 113; von Kaenel Type 77; BMCRE 202-5; BN 230-2; Kampmann p. 121, top (this coin). Near EF, dark green and brown patina, thinned to brown at highest points, some deposits. (\$750)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Hess-Leu 45 (12 May 1970), lot 479.



1021. Claudius. AD 41-54. AR Denarius (17.5mm, 3.79 g, 5h). Rome mint. Struck AD 46-47. TI CLAVD CAESAR • AVG • P • M • TR • P • VI • IMP • XI, laureate head right / S • P • Q • R / P • P / OB • C • S in three lines within oak wreath. RIC I 41; von Kaenel Type 26 (unlisted dies); RSC 87; BMCRE 45-7; BN 59-60. Near EF, attractive dark cabinet tone. Well centered and struck. Rare. (\$3000)

From the Michael Joffe Collection.



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1022. Claudius. AD 41-54. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.61 g, 5h). Rome mint. Struck AD 50-51. TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG P M TR P X IMP P P, laureate head right / PACI [AVGVST]AE, Pax-Nemesis, winged and draped, advancing right, with right hand holding out fold of drapery below chin, with left hand holding winged caduceus, pointing down at snake erect, gliding right. RIC I 52; von Kaenel Type 40, – (unlisted dies); RSC 65; BMCRE 62-3; BN 66-7. Good VF, toned, minor porosity. (\$2000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Pegasi.

1023. Britannicus. AD 41-55. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 24.27 g, 6h). Uncertain Balkan/Thracian mint. Struck under Claudius, circa AD 50-54. [TI CLAVD]IVS • CAESAR • AVG F BRITANNICVS [•], bareheaded and draped bust left / Mars, barefoot, but wearing full military outfit, including *sagum* (cape), advancing left, holding spear in outstretched right hand and round shield in left; large S C across field. RIC I pg. 130, note; von Kaenel, *Thrakien*, Type B, 5 (same dies); BMCRE 226 (Claudius). Fine, even pale green patina. Rare. (\$3000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group Electronic Auction 79 (17 December 2003), lot 132.



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1024. Agrippina Junior. Augusta, AD 50-59. Æ Sestertius (32mm, 24.91 g, 6h). Uncertain Balkan mint. Struck under Claudius, circa AD 50-54. AGRIPPINA AVG GERMANICI F CAESARIS AVG draped bust right / Carpentum left, drawn by two mules. RIC I 103 (Claudius); von Kaenel, *Thrakien*, type A 4; BMCRE, p. 195, note *, and pl. 37, 3B. Fine, brown surfaces. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection.

1025. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 28.90 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck circa AD 65. NERO • CLAVD • CAESAR • AVG • GER • P • M • TR • P • IMP P P, laureate head right, globe at point of neck / S C across field, Triumphal arch, hung with wreath across front and left side; above, Nero in facing quadriga escorted on right by Victory holding wreath and palm and on left by Pax holding caduceus and cornucopiae; just below the quadriga on extreme left and right, two small figures of soldiers; on left side of arch in niche, figure of Mars standing facing, holding spear and round shield; ornamental reliefs on the faces and plinths of the arch. RIC I 392; WCN 410; Lyon 70; BMCRE 329; BN 77. Good VF, marbled green and dark gray patina. (\$1000)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 43 (24 September 1997), lot 1827.



Enlargement of Lot 1026

Exceptional Temple of Janus



1026. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 27.25 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck circa AD 65. NERO CLAVD CAESAR AVG GER P M TR P IMP P P, laureate head right, globe at point of neck / PACE P R TERRA MARIQ PARTA IANVM CLVSIT, S C across field, Temple of Janus with latticed windows to left and garland hung across closed double doors to the right. RIC I 438; WCN 419; Lyon 109; BMCRE 319; BN 73; Kampmann 13 (this coin). Near EF, wonderful tan and olive surfaces. Great portrait. Featured in the podcast "Rom, 65 n. Chr." on the MoneyMuseum website. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Ars Classica XVII (3 October 1934), lot 1278; J. Hirsch XXXI (6 May 1912), lot 1136.



1027. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ As (28.5mm, 10.30 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck circa AD 66. IMP NERO CAESAR AVG P MAX TR P P P, bare head right, globe at point of neck / S C across field, Victory, draped, flying left, holding in both hands shield inscribed S P Q R. RIC I 543; WCN 593; Lyon 228; BMCRE 381-6; BN 155-63. Near EF, hard, dark green patina, some earthen deposits. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Leu 25 (23 April 1980), lot 256.



1028. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (35.5mm, 25.55 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck circa AD 67. IMP NERO CAESAR AVGVSTVS P M TR P POT P P, Laureate head right, globe at point of neck / S C across field, DECVRSIO in exergue, Nero, bareheaded, wearing cuirass and short tunic, on horse prancing right, carrying spear in rest in right hand; to left, a soldier also on horseback, carrying vexillum in right hand sloped over shoulder. RIC I 581; WCN 462; Lyon 259; BMCRE 315; BN —. Near EF, dark brown, slightly granular surfaces, some earthen deposits. (\$3000)



1029. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (37.5mm, 29.42 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 63. NERO CLAVD CAESAR • AVGVSTVS P M TR P IMP P P, laureate head left / CONG DAT [II POP R], Nero on left, seated right on high platform; before him, an official seated right on another platform handing congiarium to togate citizen standing with one foot on a flight of steps, right hand extended, holding fold of toga; on right, small boy stands left; in background, on left, Minerva standing left, holding owl in right hand and spear in left, and, on right, Liberalitas standing right, holding up tessera in right hand. RIC 100 corr. (obv. legend); WCN 82; BMCRE —; BN 261-3. Near VF, dark gray-brown granular surfaces, some red. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Patrick E. Cosgrove Collection (Empire 14, 1 February 1993), lot 52.

1030. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (35.5mm, 26.43 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 63. NERO • CLAVDIVS • CAESAR • AVGVSTVS P M TR P IMP P P, laureate bust right, wearing aegis / S C across field, DECVRSIO in exergue, Nero, bareheaded, wearing cuirass and short tunic, on horse prancing right, carrying spear in rest in right hand; to left, a soldier also on horseback, carrying vexillum in right hand sloped over shoulder. RIC I 104; WCN 75; BMCRE 143-4; BN 283-4. Good VF, dark gray and green patina, areas of minor roughness, some deposits. High-relief portrait. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection.



1031. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Dupondius (28.5mm, 13.68 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 64. NERO CLAVD CAESAR • AVGVSTVS P M TR P IMP P P, radiate head left / VICTORIA AVGVSTI, S C across field, Victory, draped, advancing left, holding wreath in right hand and palm frond in left; II (mark of value) in exergue. RIC I 197; WCN 208; BMCRE 216-8; BN 310-1. EF, natural green, brown, and red patina. Wonderful portrait. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Hess-Divo 267 (20 May 1996), lot 206.

Ex Brand Collection



1032. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ As (26.5mm, 9.60 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 64. NERO CLAVDIVS CAESAR • AVG • GERMANIC, radiate head right / PONTIF MAX TR POT IMP P P, S C across field, Nero, laureate, wearing flowing robe of Apollo Citharoedus, advancing right, playing lyre held in left hand; I (mark of value) in exergue. RIC I 211; WCN 272; BMCRE 256; BN 325-6. Good VF, brown patina, some green, a few light edge marks. In high relief on a broad flan. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 75 (25 October 1999), lot 1472; Virgil M. Brand Collection (Part 3, Sotheby's, 9 June 1983), lot 275.



1033. Nero. AD 54-68. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 27.90 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 65. NERO CLAVDIVS CAESAR AV G GERMANIC, laureate bust right, slight drapery / S C across field, ROMA in exergue, Roma, helmeted and draped, seated left on cuirass, right foot on helmet, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and resting left hand on parazonium; to right, shields set on ground. RIC I 275 var. (wearing aegis); WCN 137 var. (same); BMCRE 180 var. (same); BN 364 var. (same). Near EF, mottled green and brown patina, minor cleaning marks. (\$4000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Leu 7 (9 May 1973), lot 346.



1034. Nero. AD 54-68. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.34 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 66-67. IMP NERO CAESAR AVGVSTVS, laureate head right / IVPPITER CVSTOS, Jupiter, bare to waist, with cloak around lower limbs, seated left on throne, holding thunderbolt in right hand and vertical scepter in left. RIC I 64; WCN 62; RSC 121; BMCRE p. 210, note; BN 233-5. Good VF, toned, minor porosity, area of flat strike on reverse. (\$2000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind.

1035. Civil War. AD 68-69. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.40 g, 3h). Group IV ('Military' group). Uncertain (Southern Gaul?) mint. Struck AD 69. FIDES above, EXERCITVVM below, clasped right hands / FIDES above, [P]RAETORIANORVM around bottom, clasped right hands. RIC I 121; AM 7; RSC 363a; BMCRE 65; BN 75-7. Good VF, toned, a few marks under tone. Rare. (\$2000)

Ex Old Sable Collection (Gorny & Mosch 215, 14 October 2013), lot 932; ArtCoins Roma 4 (5 December 2011), lot 932.

Exceptional Galba Sestertius



1036. Galba. AD 68-69. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 26.84 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa June-August AD 68. IMP SER GALBA AVG TR P, laureate and draped bust right / S P Q R/OB/CIV SER in three lines; all within oak wreath. RIC I 262; ACG 303 (A153/P230); BMCRE 116-7. EF, even dark brown river patina with areas of hard green on the reverse. An exceptional portrait coin of Galba. (\$30,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 10 (9 April 1997), lot 593.



1037. Galba. AD 68-69. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.45 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa July AD 68-January AD 69. IMP SER GALBA CAESAR AVG, laureate head right / DIVA AVGVSTA, Livia, draped, standing left, holding patera in right hand and long, vertical scepter in left. RIC I 186; RSC 55; BMCRE 8-9; BN 83-4. EF, iridescent toning, minor marks on obverse. (\$4000)

Ex Tkalec (17 May 2010), lot 169.

1038. Galba. AD 68-69. AR Denarius (17.5mm, 3.26 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa July AD 68-January AD 69. IMP SER • GALBA • CAESAR AVG, laureate head right / DIVA AVGVSTA, Livia, draped, standing left, holding patera in right hand and long, vertical scepter in left. RIC I 186; RSC 55; BMCRE 8-9; BN 83-4. Good VF, toned, minor porosity, small pit in field on obverse, a few marks, traces of deposits. (\$1500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Pegasi.



1039. Otho. AD 69. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.41 g, 5h). Rome mint. Struck 15 January-8 March AD 69. IMP M OTHO CAESAR AVG TR P, bare head right / SECVRITAS P R, Securitas, draped, standing left, holding wreath in right hand and cradling scepter in left. RIC I 8; RSC 17; BMCRE 17-18; BN 10. Near EF, toned, a few shallow scratches on reverse under tone. Struck on broad flan. (\$3000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Jonathan K. Kern.



1040. Otho. AD 69. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.14 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck 15 January-8 March AD 69. IMP M OTHO CAESAR AVG TR P, bare head right / SECVRITAS P R, Securitas, draped, standing left, holding wreath in right hand and cradling scepter in left. RIC I 8; RSC 17; BMCRE 17-18; BN 10. Near EF, granular surfaces, areas of deposits. (\$3000)



1041. Vitellius. AD 69. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.32 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa late April-20 December AD 69. A VITELLIVS GERM IMP AVG TR P, laureate head right / PONT MAXIM, Vesta, veiled and draped, seated left on throne, holding vertical scepter in left hand and patera in right. RIC I 107; RSC 72; BMCRE 34-7; BN 71-4. Good VF, toned, minor flan flaw on obverse. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Jonathan K. Kern.

1042. Vitellius. AD 69. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 24.88 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa late April-20 December AD 69. A • VITELLIVS • GERM ANICVS IMP AVG P M TR • P •, laureate and draped bust right / PAX AVGVSTI, S C across field, Pax, draped, standing left, holding olive branch in outstretched right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC I 118; BMCRE p. 377, †; BN 93 (same obv. die). Near VF, brown surfaces, some green, hairline flan crack, reverse has been filled and smoothed. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from George Beach, February 1989.



1043. Vespasian. AD 69-79. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.50 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 71. IMP CAES VES P AVG P M, laureate head right / TRI POT, Vesta, veiled and draped, seated left, holding simulum in extended right hand and resting left hand at side. RIC II 46; RSC 561; BMCRE 57-8; BN 39-40. EF, toned underlying luster. Rare in high grade. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1044. Vespasian. AD 69-79. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 24.61 g, 6h). "Judaea Capta" commemorative. Rome mint. Struck AD 71. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M TR P P COS III, laureate head right / IVDAEA CAPTA, S C in exergue, palm tree; to left, bound male captive standing right; to right, Jewess seated right in attitude of mourning; both figures surrounded by arms. RIC II 159; BMCRE 533; BN 489-90; Hendin 1500. Near VF, attractive hard red-brown patina, areas of weak strike in legends. Attractive example of this popular type. (\$1000)



1045. Vespasian. AD 69-79. Æ Sestertius (32mm, 25.85 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 71. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG PM TR P P P COS III, laureate head right / S C across field, Mars, helmeted, naked except for cloak around waist, advancing right, holding transverse spear in right hand and trophy in left over left shoulder. RIC II 199; BMCRE 777; BN 539-40. Near EF, green patina. (\$2000)



1046. Vespasian. AD 69-79. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.40 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 73. IMP CAES VESP AVG PM COS IIII CEN, laureate head right / FIDES PVBL, clapsed right hands, holding vertical, winged caduceus between two poppies and two stalks of grain. RIC 520; RSC 164; BMCRE 86; BN 75. EF, toned, a few faint hairlines. Rare in high grade. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1047. Vespasian. AD 69-79. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.49 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 74. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, laureate head right / PON MAX TR POT V, winged caduceus. RIC II 703; RSC 362; BMCRE 138-41; BN 113-5. Choice EF, toned. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg XI (20 November 1981), lot 606.

Superb Vespasian Aureus



1048. Vespasian. AD 69-79. AV Aureus (19mm, 7.35 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 77-78. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, laureate head right / COS VIII in exergue, Vespasian standing left, holding spear in right hand and parazonium in left, crowned by Victory standing left, holding wreath in right hand and palm frond in left. RIC II 935; Calicó 624-624a; BMCRE 204; BN 181-2; Biaggi 317; AdG p. 35 (this coin). Superb EF, attractively toned. (\$20,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 72 (12 May 1998), lot 423.



1049. Vespasian. AD 69-79. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 23.55 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 77-78. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M TR P P P COS VIII, laureate head right / ANNONA AVGVST, S C across field, Annona, draped, seated left, holding open on her lap a bag of grain ears, the ends held in her hands. RIC II 987; BMCRE 730; BN 768. Good VF, natural, hard, red-brown patina, some green deposits. Attractive surfaces. Rare. (\$3000)

Judaea Capta Rarity – Second Known



1050. Vespasian. AD 69-79. AV Aureus (19mm, 7.04 g, 6h). “Judaea Capta” commemorative. Uncertain mint. Struck circa AD 69-70. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, laureate head right / IVDAEA CAPTA, palm tree; to right, Jewess, in attitude of mourning, seated right; shield to right; helmet, shield, and spear to left of palm. RIC II 1357 = Calicó 646a = BMCRE, p. 7, * and note corr. (Jewess described as sitting at foot of trophy) = Santamaria (25 May 1926), lot 236 (same dies); Hendin –; BN –; Biaggi –. Good Fine. Extremely rare, the second known. This piece confirms the authenticity of the previously known example. Future Hendin plate coin. (\$15,000)

Citing the singular Santamaria specimen as the only example of the type then known, the authors of BMCRE expressed doubt about its authenticity. This doubt was noted by the authors of the revised RIC volume, who went further, calling it “possibly a modern forgery with *rev* based on bronze IVDAEA CAPTA types.” None of the authors, however, detailed any specific criteria to support their allegations, or even noted that they examined the piece in hand. Nonetheless, the present coin, struck from the same dies as the Santamaria piece, is clearly authentic, thus rendering the doubts of the authors of RIC and BMCRE moot. This coin will be illustrated in the forthcoming 6th edition of David Hendin’s *Guide to Biblical Coins*.



1051. Divus Vespasian. Died AD 79. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.00 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Titus, AD 80-81. DIVVS AVGVSTVS VESPASIANVS, laureate head right / E X across upper field, round shield, inscribed S C, set low on column, on which stands urn; laurel to left and right. RIC II 359 (Titus); RSC 149; BMCRE 127 (Titus); BN 98-9 (Titus). EF, toned, minor marks on reverse. Well centered and struck. (\$750)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Pegasi.



1052. Titus. AD 79-81. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.49 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck 1 January-30 June AD 80. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIANVS AVG P M, laureate head right / TR P IX IMP XV COS VIII P P, *pulvinar* (throne) of Jupiter and Juno: square seat, draped and surmounted by horizontal winged thunderbolt. RIC II 119; RSC 316; BMCRE 51-4; BN 43-4. EF, toned. Attractive portrait. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Sternberg V (28 November 1975), lot 57.



1053. Titus. AD 79-81. Æ Sestertius (35.5mm, 29.21 g, 6h). “Judaea Capta” commemorative. Rome mint. Struck AD 80-81. IMP T CAES VESP AVG P M TR P P P COS VIII, laureate head left / IVD CAP/ SC in two lines across field, palm tree; to left, Judaea seated left on arms; to right, captive standing right; to far right, helmet, yoke, and oblong shield. RIC II 153; Hendin 1593c; BMCRE 169-70; BN 159. VF, thick gray-brown, green, and red patina, a few pits, evidence of smoothing. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection.



1054. Julia Titi. Augusta, AD 79-90/1. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.34 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Titus, AD 80-81. IVLIA AVGVSTA TITI AVGVSTI F •, draped bust right, wearing stephane, hair in long plait down back / VENVS AVGVST, Venus, drapery hanging loosely below waist, standing right, seen from behind, leaning back on column, cradling long scepter in left arm and holding crested helmet in extended right hand. RIC II 388 (Titus); RSC 14; BMCRE 141-143 (Titus); BN 106-107 (Titus). Choice EF, lustrous, minor flan flaw in obverse field. (\$4000)

Ex Nomos 2 (18 May 2010), lot 180.



Enlargement of Lot 1055

Exquisite Portrait of Julia Titi



1055. Julia Titi. Augusta, AD 79-90/1. Æ Dupondius (29mm, 15.00 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Titus, AD 80-81. IVLIA IMP • T • AVG • F • AVGVSTA, draped bust right, wearing hair piled high in front and coiled in bun at back / S C across field; VESTA in exergue, Vesta, veiled and draped, seated left, holding palladium in right hand and transverse scepter in left. RIC II 398 (Titus); BMCRE 257-8 (Titus); BN 271-4 (Titus). EF, dark green and gray patina, some red. Wonderful portrait. Exquisite and among the finest known. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Numismatica Ars Classica 11 (29 April 1998), lot 404.



1056. Domitian. As Caesar, AD 69-81. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.43 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Vespasian, AD 79. CAESAR AVG F DOMITIANVS COS VI •, laureate head right / PRINCEPS IVVENTVTIS, clasped right hands holding aquila set on prow. RIC II 1081 (Vespasian); RSC 393; BMCRE 269-70 (Vespasian); BN 240-2 (Vespasian). Superb EF, lustrous, light iridescent toning around periphery. Well struck on a broad flan. (\$2000)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 25 (25 June 2003), lot 433.



1057. Domitian. As Caesar, AD 69-81. AR Denarius (20.5mm, 3.32 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Vespasian, AD 79. CAESAR AVG F DOMITIANVS COS VI •, laureate head right / PRINCEPS IVVENTVTIS, Salus, draped, standing right, left leg crossed over right, resting left arm on column, holding snake in right arm and feeding it out of patera in left. RIC II 1084 (Vespasian); RSC 384; BMCRE 266 (Vespasian); BN 237 (Vespasian). EF, traces of earthen deposits on obverse. Struck on a broad flan. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Pegasi.



1058. Domitian. AD 81-96. AE Quadrans (18.5mm, 2.25 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 84-85. IMP DOMIT AVG GERM, trophy, consisting of helmet, cuirass, shields, spears, and greaves / S C across field, olive branch upright. RIC II 247; BMCRE 494-5; BN 534. EF, dark green-brown patina, minor deposits. Exceptional strike for issue. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg XII (18 November 1982), lot 573.

1059. Domitian. AD 81-96. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.37 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck 14 September-31 December AD 88. [I] MP CAES DOMIT • AVG GERM P M TR P VIII, laureate head right / COS XIII LVD SAEC FEC, herald, wearing long garment to ankles and short over-garment to waist, round cap with two feathers on head, advancing left, holding vertical wand in right hand and round shield, on which is helmeted bust of Minerva right, in left. RIC II 596; RSC 76/77; BMCRE 131-2; BN 120-1. Good VF, toned, some shallow marks under tone, traces of porosity. (\$500)



1060. Domitian. AD 81-96. AE Sestertius (35mm, 22.45 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 88-89. IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM • COS XIII CENS PER PP, laureate head right / S C across field, Domitian, veiled and togate, standing left, sacrificing out of patera in right hand over lighted altar; in background, a shrine of Minerva, showing two columns in front and a third on right side, with round shield in pediment; in the shrine, Minerva, helmeted and draped, standing right. RIC II 637; BMCRE 408; BN 440. Good VF, brown surfaces, minor porosity, a few minor marks. Excellent portrait. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection.



1061. Domitian. AD 81-96. Æ As (28mm, 12.69 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 88-89. IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM COS XIII CENS PER P P, laureate head right / FIDEI PVBLICAE, S C low across field, Fides, draped, standing right, holding poppy and two stalks of grain in right hand and holding up plate of fruits balanced on left hand. RIC II 647; BMCRE p. 391, note *; BN 451. EF, brown patina. Choice surfaces. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg X (25 November 1980), lot 322.



1062. Domitian. AD 81-96. Æ Quadrans (18.5mm, 2.79 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 90-91. IMP DOMIT AVG GERM COS XV, laureate and draped bust of Apollo right; laurel branch to right / S C in exergue, raven standing right on laurel branch. RIC II 715; BMCRE 456; BN 484-8 (Semis). EF, dark green patina, traces of red, minor roughness. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg XII (18 November 1982), lot 572.

1063. Nerva. AD 96-98. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.31 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 97. IMP NERVA CAES AVG PM TR P COS III P P, laureate head right / FORTVNA AVGVST, Fortuna, draped, standing left, holding rudder set on ground in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC II 16; RSC 66; BMCRE 38-9; BN 26. Near EF, lovely iridescent toning. (\$500)



1064. Nerva. AD 96-98. AR Denarius (18.5mm, 3.35 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 97. IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P COS III P P, laureate head right / LIBERTAS PVBLICA, Libertas, draped, standing left, holding pileus in right hand and vindicta in left. RIC II 19; RSC 113; BMCRE 46-7; BN 32-3. Choice EF, slightly iridescent cabinet tone, some cleaning scratches under tone. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Leu 30 (28 April 1982), lot 347.



1065. Nerva. AD 96-98. AR Denarius (17.5mm, 3.07 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 97. IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P II COS III P P, laureate head right / LIBERTAS PVBLICA, Libertas, draped, standing left, holding pileus in right hand and vindicta in left. RIC II 31; RSC 117; BMCRE 61 var. (no break in obv. legend); BN 43. EF. Handsome iridescent cabinet tone. (\$750)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 109 (27 May 2002), lot 386.



1066. Nerva. AD 96-98. AE Sestertius (34.5mm, 26.82 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 97. IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P COS III P P, laureate head right / CONCORDIA [EXERCITIVVM], S C across lower field, clasped right hands, holding aquila set on prow. RIC II 80; Banti 7; BMCRE 102-3; BN 95-6. VF, brown and dark gray surfaces, some red, areas of minor roughness. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Edward J. Waddell, June 1989.

VEHICVLATIONE ITALIAE REMISSA

1067. Nerva. AD 96-98. AE Sestertius (33.5mm, 26.45 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 97. IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P COS III P P, laureate head right / VEHICVLATIONE ITALIAE REMISSA (*With the levy for supplying the imperial transport system being abolished for Italy*), S C in exergue, two mules grazing, one left, one right; behind, high-wheeled cart, with pole and harness (collars and traces), tipped up and pointing slightly to right. RIC II 93; Banti 44; BMCRE 120-1; BN 108. Near VF, brown surfaces, somewhat pitted, minor smoothing. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from R. M. Smythe, April 1999; Ex Numismatic Fine Arts IX (10 December 1980), lot 470.



1068. Trajan. AD 98-117. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 29.38 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck Autumn AD 98-Autumn AD 99. IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM P M, laureate bust right, aegis on left shoulder / TR POT COS II P P, S C in exergue, Pax enthroned left, feet on footstool, holding branch in outstretched right hand and cradling scepter in left arm. RIC II 401 var. (bust type); Woytek 58e; Strack 304 (bust type unlisted); BMCRE –; BN 61. VF, natural Tiber patina. Very rare with the aegis. (\$500)

From the A.K. Collection.



1069. Trajan. AD 98-117. Æ Dupondius (28mm, 14.22 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 98-99. IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM P M, radiate head right / TR POT COS II, S C in exergue, Abundantia seated left on chair of two crossed cornucopias, holding scepter in right hand and leaning left arm on cornucopia. RIC II 398; Woytek 49a; Strack 318; BMCRE 720. Choice EF, attractive green and red-brown patina, trace of smoothing in fields. (\$1000)



1070. Trajan. AD 98-117. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 29.63 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 103-107. IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS V P P, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, seen from front / S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, S C in exergue, Trajan on horseback riding right, thrusting spear at falling Dacian before. RIC II 536; Woytek 203h (this coin referenced); Strack 361 (bust type unlisted); Banti 213; BMCRE –. EF, hard dark green patina with earthen overtones in devices. Good portrait coin for Trajan. (\$3000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P Wyprächtiger Collection; Hess-Leu 49 (3 May 1971), lot 356.



1071. Trajan. AD 98-117. Æ Sestertius (35mm, 23.96 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 106-107. IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS V P P, laureate bust right, wearing aegis / S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, S C across field, Roma, wearing crested helmet and military dress, standing front, head left, holding Victory in right hand and vertical spear in left; before, small Dacian, kneeling right, raising right hand to Roma. RIC II 485; Woytek 250c-2; Strack 371 (bust type unlisted); Banti 123; BMCRE 774. Good VF, green patina, trace of smoothing in fields. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Vecchi 8 (4 December 1997), lot 270.

1072. Trajan. AD 98-117. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.42 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck mid AD 107-108. IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / COS V P P S P Q R OPTIMO PRINC, trophy on tree stump with one round shield, two hexagonal shields; at base, two javelins, two shields, and a sword. RIC II 147; Woytek 268bC-1; Strack 138d1; RSC 98; BMCRE 358 and 362. EF, toned. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P Wyprächtiger Collection; Hess-Leu 49 (3 May 1971), lot 356.



1073. Trajan, with Trajan Pater and Nerva. AD 98-117. AV Aureus (19mm, 7.25 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 112-113. IMP TRAIANVS AVG GER • DAC P M TR P COS VI P P, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / DIVI • NERVA • ET • TRAIANVS • PAT, laureate bust of Nerva right, slight drapery and bareheaded and draped bust of Trajan the Elder left, vis-à-vis. RIC II 726 corr. (obv. legend) (same rev. die); Woytek 405f; Strack 215; Calicó 1138a (same rev. die); Biaggi 459; BMCRE 499 (same dies); BN 690. EF, underlying luster, small deposit on obverse. Rare. (\$20,000)



1074. Trajan. AD 98-117. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.44 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 112-113. IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P R TR P COS VI P P, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / SPQR OPTIMO PRINCIPI, statue of Trajan on left on horseback, holding reverted spear in right hand and Victory in left. RIC II 291; Woytek 394b; Strack 196d2; RSC 497a; BMCRE 445; BN 674-5. Near EF, toned. A well struck example. (\$300)

From the A.K. Collection, purchased from Münzen und Medaillen AG, 1967.

Extraordinary Trajan Quinarius



1075. Trajan. AD 98-117. AR Quinarius (18mm, 1.72 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck mid AD 112-Summer AD 114. IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS VI P P, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, seen from behind / S • P • Q • R • OPTIMO PRINCIPI, Victory advancing right, holding wreath in outstretched right hand and palm frond over shoulder in left. RIC II 147; Woytek 440f and pl. 88 = Strack 191β = King 55b (this coin); RSC 433c; BMCRE 438. Superb EF, beautiful cabinet toning, a couple of minor flan splits. Extremely rare and the finest known. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg I (30 November 1973), lot 113; Hess-Leu 24 (16 April 1964), lot 297; Niklovits Collection (L. Hamburger, 19 October 1925), lot 810; F. Martinetti Collection; G. Nervegna Collection (Sambon-Canessa, 18 November 1907), lot 1876.



1076. Trajan. AD 98-117. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 25.79 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 114-116. IMP CAES NER TRAIANO OPTIMO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS VI P P, laureate and draped bust right / IMPERATOR VIII/S • C in two lines in exergue, Trajan seated right on *sella castrensis* set on high platform, two officers at his side, haranguing a group of six soldiers who hold two signa and an aquila. RIC II 656; Woytek 548v; Strack 463ζ; Banti 78; BMCRE 1017. Good VF, brown and green patina, minor smoothing in fields. (\$3000)



1077. Plotina. Augusta, AD 105-123. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 27.56 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Trajan, AD 112-August 117. PLOTINA AVG IMP TRAIANI, draped bust right, hair elaborately dressed in two tiers over brow, above which is a stephane, and elaborately waved at the back, falling down her neck in plait / FIDES AVGVST, S C across field, Fides standing right, holding grain ears in right hand, basket of fruit in left. RIC II 740 (Trajan); Woytek 711; Strack 441; Banti 1; BMCRE 1080-2; BN 730, 732. VF, brown surfaces, areas of green patina, hairline flan crack, some roughness. Rare. (\$2000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Frank Kovacs, May 2001. Ex Leo Benz Collection (Lanz 94, 22 November 1999), lot 469; acquired from J. Schulman, Amsterdam, August 1976.

1078. Diva Marciana. Died AD 112/4. Æ Sestertius (35.5mm, 27.60 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Trajan, September AD 112-117. DIVA AVGVSTA MARCIANA, draped bust right, hair elaborately dressed over brow, above which is a stephane, braided and bound up at the back / EX SENATVS CONSVLTO, S C in exergue, Diva Marciana, holding grain ears in right hand, scepter in left, seated left on cart drawn by two elephants; each elephant has its own mahout. RIC II 750 var. (Trajan; patera not grain ears); Woytek 725; Strack 447 (Trajan); Banti 6; BMCRE 1086-7 (Trajan); BN 793. Good Fine, dark gray and brown patina, some green, areas of minor porosity and roughness, a few light marks. Very rare. (\$2000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex John F. Sullivan Collection (Triton IX, 10 January 2006), lot 1451; Numismatica Ars Classica I (19 May 1999), lot 1902.



1079. Diva Matidia. Died AD 119. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.64 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Hadrian, circa AD 119. DIVA AVGVSTA MATIDIA, draped bust right, wearing stephane and elaborate coiffure / eagle standing left on scepter, with wings displayed. RIC II 756 (Trajan); Strack 137 (Hadrian); RSC 6; BMCRE 330 (Hadrian). Near EF, toned. (\$3000)



1080. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.48 g, 7h). Rome mint. Struck AD 117. IMP CAES TRAIAN HADRIAN OPT AVG GER DAC, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust right / PARTHIC DIVI TRAIAN AVG F P M TR P COS P P, Trajan and Hadrian standing vis-à-vis, clasping right hands; ADOPTIO in exergue. RIC II 3e; Strack 2η; RSC 4c; BMCRE 7. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$300)

From the A.K. Collection. Ex Conte Alessandro Magnaguti Collection (Part III, Santamaria, 12 October 1950), lot 110.

1081. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.29 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-124/5. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate head right / P M TR P COS III, Roma seated left on cuirass with shield at side, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and scepter in left. RIC II 77; Strack 77δ; RSC 1102; BMCRE 136 var. (obv. legend break). EF, toned. (\$500)

From the A.K. Collection. Ex G. Hirsch 48 (22 June 1966), lot 433.



1082. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.49 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-124/5. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate head right / P M TR P COS III, Pax, veiled, enthroned left, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and cradling olive branch in left arm. RIC II 95; Strack 118δ; RSC 1148; BMCRE 199 var. (obv. legend break and bust type). EF, toned, slight weakness in obverse legends. (\$500)

From the A.K. Collection. Ex G. Hirsch 48 (22 June 1966), lot 434.



1083. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.53 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-124/5. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / P M TR P COS III, Hadrian standing left, holding in right hand rudder set on globe and reverted spear in left. RIC II 110; Strack 84γ; RSC 1162; BMCRE 238. EF, toned. Well centered and well struck. (\$500)

From the A.K. Collection, purchased from Münzen und Medaillen AG, 1969.



1084. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.11 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-124/5. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN H ADRIANVS AVG, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / P M TR P COS III, Hilaritas standing facing, lifting veil from head with both hands; HIL-AR/P R in two lines across field. RIC II 126; Strack 69 γ ; RSC 816; BMCRE 278. EF, toned. Well centered and well struck. (\$300)

From the A.K. Collection, purchased from Münzen und Medaillen AG, 1960.



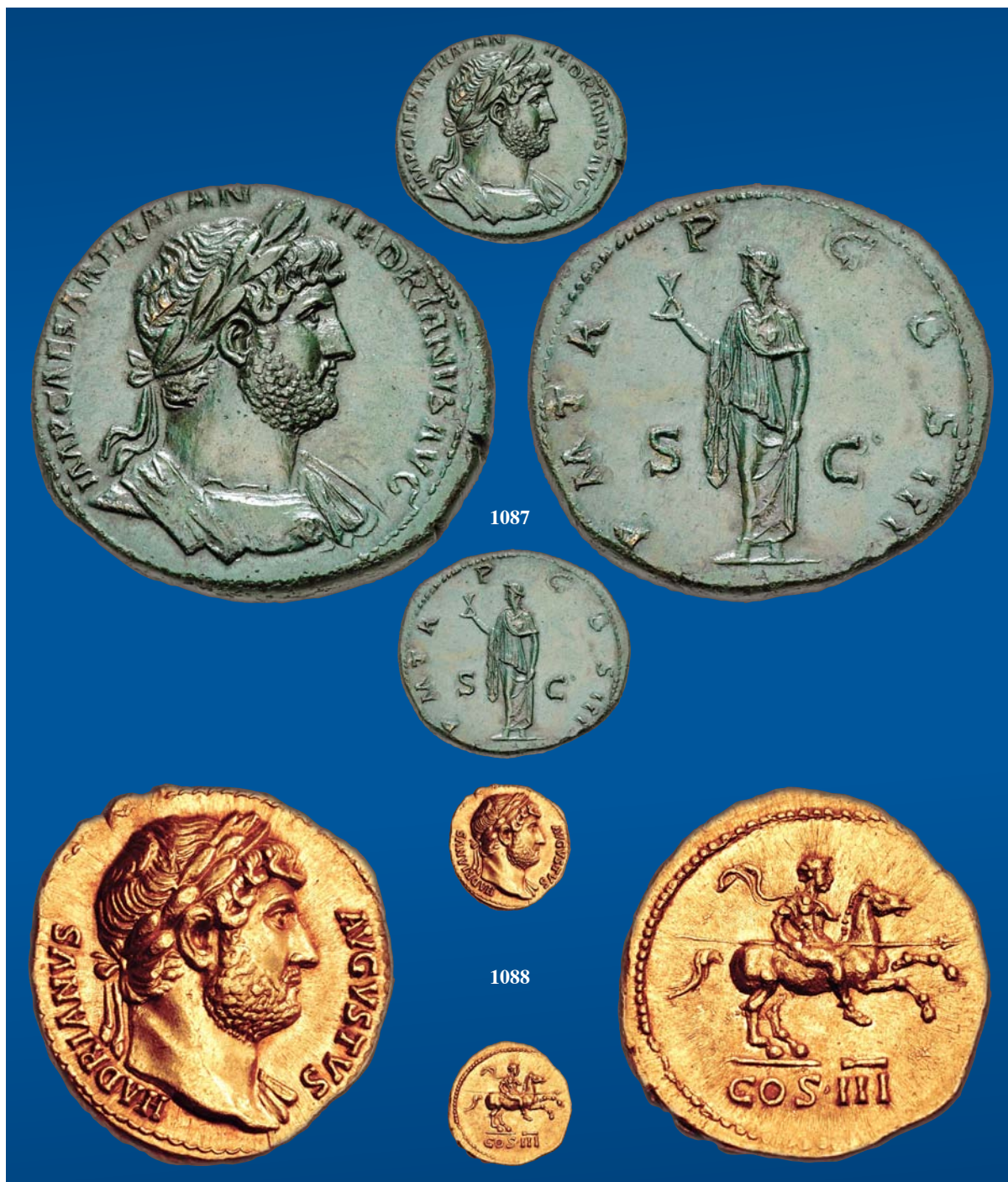
1085. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.41 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-124/5. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / P M TR P COS III, Libertas standing left, holding pileus in outstretched right hand and cradling scepter in left arm; LIB PVB across field. RIC II 128; Strack 75 η ; RSC 907b; BMCRE 283 var. (bust type). EF, toned. Well centered and well struck. (\$500)

From the A.K. Collection, purchased from Münzen und Medaillen AG, 1959.



1086. Hadrian. AD 117-138. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 27.12 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 119-122. IMP CAESAR TRAIANVS HADRIANVS AVG, laureate heroic bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / PONT MAX TR POT COS III, S C across field, Securitas enthroned left, holding scepter in right hand and resting left arm on throne back and propping up head; SECVR AVG in exergue. RIC II 569; Strack 528e; Banti 738; BMCRE 1163. Good VF, pale green patina, some deposits along edge. (\$500)

Ex Lanz 128 (22 May 2006), lot 402.



Kent & Hirmer Plate Coin

1087. Hadrian. AD 117-138. Æ Sestertius (36mm, 27.82 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 122-125. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / P M TR P COS III, S C across field, Spes advancing left, holding flower and lifting garment. Cf. RIC II 612; Strack 576η; Banti 595 (this coin illustrated); AdG p. 45 = Kent & Hirmer 288 (this coin); BMCRE 1256. Superb EF, dark emerald green patina. An exquisite coin. (\$20,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Sotheby's (8 July 1996), lot 114; Leu 48 (10 May 1989), lot 343; Erich von Schulthess-Rechberg Collection (Hess-Leu 17, 23 March 1961), lot 170; Richard Cyril Lockett Collection (Part VIII, Glendining's, 26 May 1959), lot 34; Earl Fitzwilliam Collection (Christie's, 30 May 1949); lot 133.

1088. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AV Aureus (19mm, 7.40 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 124-128. HADRIANVS AVGVS TVS, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / COS • III in exergue, Hadrian, in military outfit, right on galloping horse, holding spear in right hand. RIC II 187 (bust type d); Strack –; Calicó 1228 = Biaggi 594; BMCRE 435; Kampmann 14 (this coin). Choice EF, attractively toned, traces of underlying luster. (\$20,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 72 (12 May 1998), lot 433.



1089. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.45 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 124-128. HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / CO S III, Roma standing left, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and scepter in left. RIC II 161; Strack 175a; RSC 349; BMCRE 361-2. Superb EF, much luster. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 109 (27 May 2002), lot 422.



1090. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AE Dupondius (28mm, 13.95 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 124-128. HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS, radiate and draped bust right / COS III, S C in exergue, Salus enthroned left, holding patera in right hand and feeding serpent, entwined around altar, and leaning on throne back. RIC II 657; Strack 635a2; BMCRE 1329. EF, green patina. Beautifully centered and struck. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Aufhäuser 12 (1 October 1996), lot 543; Aufhäuser 7 (9 October 1990), lot 433.

Ex Wyprächtiger and Niggeler Collections



1091. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.35 g, 6h). Travel series. Rome mint. Struck circa AD 134-138. HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS III P P, laureate head left / Hadrian, in military outfit, standing right, left foot on prow, holding reverted spear in right hand and parazonium in left. RIC II 294 var. (laureate head right); Strack 291 var. (same); RSC 1503 var. (same); BMCRE 785A var. (same). EF, toned. Fine style. Apparently unique variety. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Sternberg I (30 November 1973), lot 148; Walter Niggeler Collection (Part III, Leu/Münzen und Medaillen, 2 December 1967), lot 1266; Münzen und Medaillen XVII (2 December 1957), lot 455.



1092. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.42 g, 6h). Travel series. Rome mint. Struck circa AD 134-138. HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, bare head right / AEGYPTOS, Egypt reclining left, holding sistrum in right hand and resting left arm on basket; at feet, ibis standing right on low column. RIC II 297; Strack 295 δ o; RSC 106a; BMCRE 807. Choice EF, attractive cabinet toning. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyrächtiger Collection; Auctiones 12 (29 September 1981), lot 395.



1093. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.61 g, 12h). Travel series. Rome mint. Struck circa AD 134-138. HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, bare head right / AFRICA, Africa, wearing elephant skin headdress, reclining left on rock, holding scorpion and cornucopia; basket of grain ears at feet. RIC II 299; Strack 297 δ o; RSC 140; BMCRE 813. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Acquired from Münztagung Stuttgart, October 2004.

1094. Hadrian. AD 117-138. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.36 g, 6h). Travel series. Rome mint. Struck circa AD 134-138. HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, bareheaded and draped bust right / ALEXANDRIA, Alexandria standing left, holding sistrum in right hand and snake in basket in left. RIC II 300; Strack 298 α o; RSC 156; BMCRE 826. EF, toned, a few light cleaning marks under tone in obverse field. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Pegasi Numismatics.



Enlargement of Lot 1095

Exceptional Aegyptos As



1095. Hadrian. AD 117-138. Æ As (27mm, 11.20 g, 12h). Travel Series. Rome mint. Struck circa AD 134-138. HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, laureate and draped bust right / AEGYPTOS, S C in exergue, Egypt reclining left, holding sistrum in right hand and resting left arm on basket; at feet, ibis standing right on low column. RIC II 839; Strack 707c; BMCRE 1703-4. Choice EF, brown and green patina. Featured in the podcast “Ägypten, 130 n. Chr.” on the MoneyMuseum website. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Leu 33 (3 May 1983), lot 57.



1096. Sabina. Augusta, AD 128-136/7. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.27 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Hadrian, circa AD 128-134. SABINA AVGVSTA HADRIANI AVG P P, draped bust right, wearing stephane, hair falling in plait down neck / CONCOR DIA AVG, Concordia, draped, seated left on throne, holding patera in extended right hand and resting left arm on statuette of Spes set on low base; cornucopia below throne. RIC II 398 (Hadrian); Strack 368; RSC 12; BMCRE 895-900 (Hadrian). Superb EF, iridescent toning. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Kurt P. Wyprächtiger Collection; Hess-Divo 271 (4 June 1997), lot 41.



1097. Sabina. Augusta, AD 128-136/7. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 27.77 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Hadrian, circa AD 128-134. SABINA AVGVSTA HADRIANI AVG P P, draped bust right, wearing double stephane and hair coiled and piled on top of head / S C in exergue, Ceres, veiled and draped, seated left on modius, holding up stalks of grain in right hand and lighted, long torch in left. RIC II 1019 (Hadrian); Strack 858; Banti 28; BMCRE 1879-81 (Hadrian). Good VF, green patina, reverse surfaces are mostly brown, areas of roughness, some earthen deposits. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Münzen und Medaillen AG 79 (1 March 1994), lot 527.

First Issue of Pius as Augustus – Ex Biaggi Collection



1098. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.27 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 138. IMP CAES AEL
• ANTONINVS AVG, laureate head right / PONT MAX TR POT COS, Pietas, veiled, standing right before lighted and garlanded altar, raising right hand and holding incense box in left. RIC III –; Strack 10 = Münzhandlung Basel 6, lot 1729 (same dies); Calicó 1608 = Biaggi 751 (this coin); BMCRE 7. Good VF, red tone in devices. Extremely rare first issue of Antoninus Pius as Augustus. (\$4000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind. Ex Biaggi Collection, no. 751.

Unique Pius Denarius with Grain Ear and Poppy Wreath



1099. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.35 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 140-144. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR POT COS III, bust right, wearing wreath consisting of grain ears and poppies, slight drapery on left shoulder / AEQVIT AS AVG, Aequitas standing left, holding scales in outstretched right hand and scepter in left. Cf. Heritage New York Signature Sale 3004 (4 January 2009), lot 20080 (for sestertius with grain ear and poppy wreath, but fully draped bust); otherwise unpublished for a denarius. EF, attractively toned, a couple of minor flan splits. Unique. (\$500)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group Electronic Auction 75 (15 October 2003), lot 139 (part of).

While the use of a grain ear wreath is known on other very rare imperial issues, most notably those of Gallienus accompanied by the legend GALLIENAE AVGVSTAE, as well as an extremely rare sestertius of Hadrian (NAC 72, lot 641), to date, for Antoninus Pius it occurs only on this denarius and the Heritage sestertius. The use of the grain ear wreath may be explained by imperial participation in the mysteries of Demeter at Eleusis – an event that is well-attested for Hadrian (and possibly Marcus Aurelius). While Antoninus Pius is known to have patronized the sanctuary and provided funding for its upkeep, he is not recorded as having participated in the mysteries, although these coins now suggest that he did.



1100. Antoninus Pius, with Marcus Aurelius as Caesar. AD 138-161. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.19 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 140-144. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P COS III, laureate head of Antoninus Pius right / AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII F COS, bare head of Marcus Aurelius right. RIC II 417a; Strack 110; RSC 15; BMCRE 155. Choice EF, attractive cabinet toning. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 71 (24 October 1997), lot 387; Leu 33 (3 May 1983), lot 67.



1101. Antoninus Pius, with Marcus Aurelius as Caesar. AD 138-161. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.12 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 140-144. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P COS III, laureate head of Antoninus Pius right / AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII F COS, bare head of Marcus Aurelius right. RIC II 417a; Strack 110; RSC 15; BMCRE 155. Near EF, lightly toned. (\$500)

Ex Freeman & Sear MBS 1 (10 March 1995), lot 451.



1102. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. Æ Sestertius (34mm, 26.74 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 141-143. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P COS III, laureate head right / S C across field, ITALIA in exergue, Italia, wearing *tutulus*, seated left on globe with zones and stars, holding cornucopia in right hand and cradling scepter in left arm. RIC III 746a; Strack 836d; Banti 193; BMCRE 1643. EF, dark green and brown patina, minor smoothing in fields, a few pits on reverse. (\$3000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Sotheby's New York (19 December 1998), lot 38.



1103. **Antoninus Pius.** AD 138-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 6.94 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 148-149. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P XII, laureate head right / COS IIII, Aequitas standing left, holding scales in right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC III –; Strack 190δ; Calicó 1502a (same obv. die as illustration); BMCRE 649; Biaggi –; Gorny & Mosch 190, lot 499 (same rev. die); NAC 52, lot 445 = Lanz 102, lot 589 (same rev. die). EF, lustrous. Attractive portrait in high relief. (\$5000)



1104. **Antoninus Pius.** AD 138-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.27 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 153-154. ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P XVII, laureate head right / COS IIII, Pius, togate, standing left, holding globe in extended right hand, *volumen* in left. RIC III 233b; Strack 270δ; Calicó 1527; BMCRE 813; Biaggi 716. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Diirr & Michel (16 November 1998), lot 49; Leu 33 (3 May 1983), lot 65.



Enlargement of Lot 1105



1105. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.24 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 154. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XVII, laureate head right / COS IIII, Pius, togate, standing left, holding globe in extended right hand, *volumen* in left. RIC III 233b; Strack 270d; Calicó 1527; BMCRE 813; Biaggi 716 (same dies). Choice EF, lustrous. (\$10,000)



1106. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AV Aureus (18.5mm, 7.23 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 157-158. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XXII, laureate and draped bust left / TR POT X XI C O S IIII, Victory, winged and draped, advancing left, holding wreath in right hand and palm frond at shoulder in left. RIC 281c; Strack 329 (same dies); Calicó –; Biaggi –; BMCRE 912-3 var. (bust type). Near EF, luster under light toning, a couple minor marks, some die rust on reverse, short edge split and hairline flan crack. (\$5000)



1107. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.23 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 158-159. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XXII, laureate head right / TEMPLVM DIV AVG REST, COS IIII in exergue, octastyle temple on podium of three steps: seated statue in center; uncertain figures in pediment; facing quadriga(?) on top of roof; Victories in the angles; two statues in front of temple on left and right. RIC III 290a; Strack 338; RSC 804; BMCRE 940-2 corr. (DIV not DIVI). EF, underlying luster, traces of deposits. (\$500)



1108. Antoninus Pius. AD 138-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.26 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 159-160. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XXIII, laureate head right / PIETATI AVG COS IIII, Pietas standing facing, head left, holding globe in extended right hand and child in her left arm; a child standing to either side, grasping her tunic. RIC III 302a; Strack 848d; Calicó 1602 = Biaggi 748; BMCRE 984. EF, lustrous. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 31 (26 October 2005), lot 51.



1109. Divus Antoninus Pius. Died AD 161. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.25 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Marcus Aurelius, AD 161. DIVVS ANTONINVS, bare head right / CONSE CRATIO, funeral pyre of four tiers, decorated with garlands, surmounted by facing quadriga. RIC III 436 (Aurelius); Strack 4 (Aurelius); MIR 18, 27/4-10 (Aurelius); RSC 164; BMCRE 57 (Aurelius and Verus). EF, underlying luster, hairline flan crack, a few traces of deposits on obverse. (\$400)



1110. Diva Faustina Senior. Died AD 140/1. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.02 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 146-161. DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust right, wearing hair bound in pearls / AVGV STA, Ceres, veiled and draped, standing left, holding torch in each hand. RIC III 357a (Pius); Strack 471; Calicó 1758 = Biaggi 807 var. (obv. legend break); BMCRE 405 (Pius). EF, lightly toned, minor edge scrape. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 93 (10 May 2005), lot 30.



1111. Diva Faustina Senior. Died AD 140/1. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.24 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 146-161. DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust right, wearing hair bound in pearls / AVGV STA, Ceres, veiled and draped, standing left, holding torch in each hand. RIC III 357a (Pius); Strack 471; Calicó 1758 = Biaggi 807; BMCRE 405 (Pius); Morgan 139 (this coin). EF, toned. (\$5000)

Ex Myron Stepath Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 40, 4 December 1996), lot 1523; J. Pierpont Morgan Collection (Stack's, 14 September 1983), lot 82; Strozzi Collection (Sangiorgi, 15 April 1907), lot 1914.



1112. Diva Faustina Senior. Died AD 140/1. AV Aureus (18mm, 7.12 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 146-161. DIVA AVGVSTA FAVSTINA, draped bust right, wearing hair bound in pearls / Ceres standing left, holding lighted torch in right hand and cradling scepter in left arm. RIC III 403 (Pius); Strack 414; Calicó 1737 = Biaggi 833; BMCRE 338 (Pius). Near EF. Very rare. (\$10,000)



1113. Diva Faustina Senior. Died AD 140/1. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.22 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 146-161. DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust right, wearing hair bound in pearls / AVGV STA, Aeternitas (or Ceres), veiled and draped, standing left, holding torch in right hand. RIC III 362 (Pius); Strack 468; RSC 104; BMCRE 421 (Pius). Superb EF, lustrous. Well struck. (\$300)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1114. Diva Faustina Senior. Died AD 140/1. Æ Sestertius (3417mm, 27.15 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 146-161. DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust right, wearing hair bound in pearls / AVGV STA, S C across field, Ceres, veiled and draped, standing left, holding grain ears in right hand and torch in left. RIC III 1116 (Pius); Strack 1285; Banti 35; BMCRE 1509 (Pius). Near EF, brown and green patina, beautiful, even surfaces. An attractive example of the type. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection.

Ex Stepath and Morgan



1115. Marcus Aurelius. As Caesar, AD 139-161. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.31 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 148-149. AVRELIVS CAE SAR AVG PII F, bareheaded bust right, wearing slight beard; drapery on left shoulder / TR POT III C OS II, Fides standing right, holding grain ears in right hand and patera of fruits in left. RIC III 445d (Pius); Strack 199 (bust type unlisted); Calicó 1934 = Morgan 144 (this coin); BMCRE 696/694 (Pius; obv./rev.; same dies); Biaggi 871/875 (obv./rev.). EF, toned. Exceptional portrait. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Myron Stepath Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 40, 4 December 1996), lot 1530; J. Pierpont Morgan Collection (Stack's, 14 September 1983), lot 83.



1116. Marcus Aurelius. As Caesar, AD 139-161. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.15 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 159-160. M ANTONINVS AVG TR P XXIII, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / FELICITAS AVG COS III, Felicitas standing left, holding caduceus in right hand and scepter in left. RIC III 217a; MIR 18, 373; Calicó 1854 (same dies as illustration); BMCRE –; Biaggi –. Good VF. (\$5000)



1117. Marcus Aurelius. As Caesar, AD 139-161. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.27 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 160-161. AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII F, bareheaded and draped bust right / TR POT XIII COS II, Mars advancing right, holding spear forward in right hand and trophy over shoulder in left. RIC III 481c (Pius); Strack 373; Calicó 1976 (but same obv. die as ill. of 1981); BMCRE 696/694 (Pius; obv./rev.; same dies); Biaggi 871/875 (obv./rev.); Pecunem 7, lot 329 (same rev. die). Choice EF, lustrous. (\$10,000)

The Accession of Marcus Aurelius and Lucius Verus as Emperors



1118. Marcus Aurelius, with Lucius Verus. AD 161-180. Æ Medallion (42mm, 61.50 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 161. IMP ANTONINVS AVG COS III IMP VERVS AVG COS II, bare head of Marcus Aurelius right, vis-à-vis bare head of Lucius Verus left / Faustina Junior (as Salus), seated left, holding patera in right hand and feeding serpent entwined about altar, and leaning left forearm on chair back. Gneccchi –, but cf. 3 and pl. 70, 2 (for obv.) and 27 and pl. 69, 2 (for rev.; Faustina Junior); MIR 18 –; cf. Banti 2 (for obv.); Triton IX, lot 1492 var. (Dioscuri rev.; same obv. die); otherwise unpublished. Good VF, even brown surfaces, minor smoothing in fields, holed in edge at 12 o'clock and 6 o'clock in antiquity for mounting, possibly in a military signum. Unique. (\$15,000)



1119. Marcus Aurelius. AD 161-180. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.45 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 162-163. M • ANTONINVS AVGVSTI IMP II, bare head right / CONCORD AVGVSTI P XVII, COS III in exergue, Concordia seated left, holding patera in her extended right hand, resting left arm on chair back; cornucopia below seat. RIC III 62; MIR 18, 63-4/10; RSC 42; BMCRE 216. Superb EF, hairline flan crack. (\$500)



1120. Marcus Aurelius. AD 161-180. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.69 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 163. M • ANTONINVS AVGVSTI IMP II, bare head right / CONCORD AVGVSTI P XVII, COS III in exergue, Concordia, draped, seated left on low seat, holding patera in extended right hand and resting left on statuette of Spes; cornucopia below seat. RIC III 62; MIR 18, 63-4/10; RSC 42; BMCRE 216-7. Superb EF, lustrous, traces of green deposits and small flan flaw on reverse. High relief portrait. (\$500)



1121. Marcus Aurelius. AD 161-180. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.41 g, 12h). *Decennalia* issue. Rome mint. Struck AD 170-171. M ANTONINVS AVGVSTI TR P XXV, laureate head right / VOTA SVSCEP DECENN II, COS III in exergue, Marcus, veiled and togate, standing left, holding patera over lighted altar and *volumen*. RIC III 251; MIR 18, 223-4/30; RSC 1036; BMCRE 553. EF, lightly toned. Well struck. (\$500)

Ex A. Lynn Collection (Manhattan Sale II, 5 January 2010), lot 301.

Commemorating His Victory Over the Germans Commodus Appointed Augustus



1122. Marcus Aurelius. AD 161-180. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 22.40 g, 12h). Liberalitas issue. Rome mint. Struck AD 176-177. M ANTONINVS AVG GERM SARM TR P XXXI, laureate head right / LIBERALITAS AVG VII IMP VIII COS III P P, S C across field, Liberalitas standing facing, head left, holding abacus in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC III 1205; MIR 18, 381-6/30; Banti 215; BMCRE 1610. Near EF, natural hard green patina, small flan split. Struck on a broad flan. (\$2000)

Following his success in the First Marcomannic War and his suppression of Avidius Cassius, Marcus Aurelius returned to Rome for the first time in eight years. While there, he appointed his son, Commodus, as co-Augustus and on 23 December AD 176 celebrated a joint triumph over the Germans and the Sarmatians, at which time the distribution, commemorated on this sestertius, occurred. This time in Rome was to be his last, for in AD 177, the treaty with the Germans was broken by the Quadi, and Marcus was compelled to return to the front. The following lot (lot 1123), which proclaims his safe journey from the front and back again, is particularly ironic: Marcus never again would return from the front, save for the return of his ashes for burial in the Mausoleum of Hadrian, and Rome would experience the erratic and maniacal rule of Commodus.



1123. Marcus Aurelius. AD 161-180. Æ As (28mm, 11.49 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck late AD 176-early AD 177. M ANTONINVS AVG GERM SARM TR P XXXI, laureate head right / IMP VIII • COS III, S C across lower field, quinquereme right with four rowers visible, gubernator at stern; at prow, vfigure of Neptune, holding trident and dolphin, standing right; FELICITATI/AVG P P in two lines above. RIC III 1196; MIR 18, 378-9/30; BMCRE 1615 note; Kampmann 15 (this coin). EF, brown patina. Well centered and well struck. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex New York Sale III (7 December 2000), lot 690.



1124. Divus Marcus Aurelius. Died AD 180. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.45 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Commodus, circa AD 180. DIVVS ANTONINVS PIVS, bare head right / CONSE CRATIO, funeral pyre of four tiers, decorated with garlands and adorned with statues, surmounted by [facing quadriga]. RIC III 275 (Commodus); MIR 18, 487-4/10; RSC 97; BMCRE 27. EF, lustrous. (\$500)

1125. Faustina Junior. Augusta, AD 147-175. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.68 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 147-150. FAVSTINA AVG PII AVG FIL, draped bust right / CONCO RDIA, Concordia seated left, holding flower, in right hand and resting left arm on cornucopia set on globe. RIC III 502a (Pius); Strack 506; RSC 54; BMCRE 1086 (Pius). Superb EF, toned. (\$300)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Tkalec (17 May 2010), lot 237.



1126. Faustina Junior. Augusta, AD 147-175. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 25.05 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Antoninus Pius, circa AD 147-150. FAVSTINA AVG PII AVG FIL, draped bust right / VE NVS, S C across lower field, Venus standing left, holding apple in right hand and scepter in left. RIC III 1387 (Pius); Strack 1324; Banti 133; BMCRE 2186 (Pius). Good VF, brown surfaces. Attractive young portrait of Faustina. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection.



1127. Faustina Junior. Augusta, AD 147-175. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 26.13 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Marcus Aurelius, AD 161-164. FAVSTINA AVGVSTA, draped bust right, wearing stephane / IVNONI REGINAE, S C across lower field, Juno standing left, holding patera in right hand and scepter in left; at feet to left, peacock standing left. RIC III –; MIR 18, 19-6(b) = J. Hirsch 33, lot 1311; Banti 81; BMCRE 922 (Marcus). EF, attractive olive-green patina. (\$3000)



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1128. Faustina Junior. Augusta, AD 147-175. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.34 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Marcus Aurelius, circa AD 165-170. FAVSTINA AVGVSTA, draped bust right, wearing stephane, hair waved and fastened in bun on back of head / S A LVS, Salus, draped, seated left on throne, resting left elbow on arm of throne, and feeding out of patera in right hand snake coiled around and rising from altar to left. RIC III 714 (Aurelius); MIR 18, 29-4c; RSC 195; BMCRE 148-50 (Aurelius and Verus) var. (breaks in rev. legend). EF. (\$400)

1129. Lucius Verus. AD 161-169. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.24 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 163. IMPL VERVS AVG, bare head right / PROV DEOR TR P III COS II, Providentia standing left, holding globus in right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC III 491; MIR 18, 56-14/10; RSC 156; BMCRE 229. Choice EF, light iridescent toning, small spot of hard green in reverse legend. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1130. Lucius Verus. AD 161-169. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.53 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 163. L VERVS AVG ARMENIACVS, bare head right / TRP III • IMP II COS II, Armenia, wearing cloak and breeches to ankles, and pointed cap, seated left on ground, in attitude of mourning, propping head on right hand, right elbow bent and resting on right knee, left hand on bow and quiver; vexillum and shield to left; shield to right. RIC III 505; MIR 18, 60-14/10; RSC 220; BMCRE 234. EF, lightly toned, underlying luster. (\$500)

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1131. Lucius Verus. AD 161-169. Æ Sestertius (31mm, 25.12 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 164. L AVREL VERVS AVG ARMENIACVS, laureate head right / TR P IIII IMP II COS II., S C low across field, REX ARMEN/DAT in two lines in exergue, Lucius Verus, in military dress, seated left on curule chair, set on low platform, with right hand placing diadem on head of King Sohaemus, left hand at side: the king stands left and raises right hand to adjust diadem: on platform by Verus, three officers, one on left, standing right, holding spear in left hand, two on right, one standing facing, the other, standing left. RIC III 1370 (Aurelius); MIR 18, 92-16/30; Banti 93; BMCRE 1103. VF, red and brown patina, some green, areas of roughness. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection.



1132. Lucius Verus. AD 161-169. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.48 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 166. L VERVS AVG ARM PARTH MAX, laureate head right / PAX in exergue, TR P VI IMP III COS II, Pax, draped, standing left, holding olive branch in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC III 561 (Aurelius); MIR 18, 140-14/30; RSC 126; BMCRE 428-9. EF. (\$500)

1133. Commodus. AD 177-192. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.28 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 180-181. M COMMODVS ANTONINVS AVG, laureate head right / TR P V IMP III COS III P P, trophy; at base, male and female captive seated on shield on either side. RIC III 9 (bust type a); MIR 18, 495-4/30; RSC 791; BMCRE 9. EF. Well struck for issue. (\$300)



1134. Commodus. AD 177-192. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.41 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 181-182. M COMMODVS ANTONINVS AVG, laureate head right / TR P VI IMP III COS III P P, Annona standing left, holding grain ears in right hand and cornucopia in left; to left, modius containing two poppies. RIC III 14; MIR 18, 501-4/30; RSC 812; BMCRE 58 note. Near EF, dark cabinet toning. (\$300)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Kirk Davis.



1135. Commodus. AD 177-192. Æ Sestertius (31mm, 22.49 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 183. M • COMMODVS ANTO NINVS AVG PIVS, laureate head right / PROV AVG TR P VIII IMP VI • COS IIII P • P, S C low across field, Providentia, draped, standing left, holding vertical scepter in left hand and wand in right hand over globe on ground to left. RIC III 379; MIR 18, 594-6/30; Banti 335; BMCRE 502A. VF, dark green patina, some brown earthen deposits. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Auctions IV (21 September 1988), lot 493.

1136. Commodus. AD 177-192. Æ Sestertius (31mm, 25.48 g, 7h). Rome mint. Struck AD 192. L • AEL • AVREL • CO MM • AVG • P • FEL, head left, wearing lion skin tied at neck / Club of Hercules; HER-CVL/ROM-ANO/AV-GV/S C in four lines across field; all within wreath with large central jewel. RIC III 637; MIR 18, 855-6/72; Banti 96; BMCRE 711. Near VF, black-green surfaces, some roughness. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Athena Fund (Sotheby's Zurich, 27 October 1993), lot 1612.



1137. Crispina. Augusta, AD 178-182. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.32 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Commodus, AD 178-182. CRISPI NA AVG, draped bust right, wearing hair waved and knotted in chignon, low on head / DIS GENI TAL IBVS, lighted altar of rectangular shape. RIC III 281 (Commodus); MIR 18, 8-4a; RSC 15; BMCRE 31 (Commodus). EF, lightly toned, underlying luster. (\$500)



1138. Crispina. Augusta, AD 178-182. AR Denarius (19mm, 3.62 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Commodus, AD 178-182. CRISPINA AVGVSTA, draped bust right / VE NVS, Venus standing left, holding apple in outstretched right hand and with left drawing up fold of drapery over left shoulder. RIC III 286a (Commodus); MIR 18, 19-4a; RSC 35; BMCRE 46 (Commodus). Superb EF. Well struck. (\$500)



1139. Crispina. Augusta, AD 178-182. Æ Sestertius (29mm, 28.07 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Commodus, AD 178-182. CRISPINA AVGVSTA, draped bust right / CONCORDIA, S C across lower field, Concordia seated left, holding patera in outstretched right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC III 665 (Commodus); MIR 18, 4-6a; Banti 5; BMCRE 407 (Commodus). Good VF, dark green patina, fields smoothed. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Sternberg XXVIII (30 October 1995), lot 157.

Among the Finest Known



1140. Pertinax. AD 193. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.23 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP CAES P HELV PERTIN AVG, laureate head right / LAETITIA • TEMPOR COS II, Laetitia, draped, standing left, holding wreath in lowered right hand and vertical scepter in left. RIC IV 4a; Woodward, *Pertinax*, dies 5/K; Calicó 2383 (same obv. die); BMCRE 7. Choice EF, lustrous. Handsome portrait struck in high relief. (\$50,000)



1141. Pertinax. AD 193. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.13 g, 12h). Rome mint. IMP CAES P HELV PERTIN AVG, laureate head right / AEQVIT AVG TR P COS II, Aequitas standing left, holding scales in right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 1a; RSC 2; BMCRE 15. Good VF, toned. small hairline flan crack, a few typical small edge splits. (\$1500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Jonathan K. Kern.

1142. Pertinax. AD 193. Æ Sestertius (30mm, 20.96 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP CAES P HELV PE RTINAX AVG, laureate head right / VOT DEC[EN TR P CO]S II, S C across field, Pertinax, veiled and togate, standing left, holding volumen in left hand and sacrificing out of patera in right over lighted tripod to left. RIC IV 24; Banti 22; BMCRE 44. Fine, brown, slightly granular surfaces, some pitting on reverse. Bold portrait. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Dr. Arnold Saslow, May 1991.

One of Two Known



1143. Divus Pertinax. Died AD 193. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.15 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Septimius Severus, AD 193-194. DIVVS PERT PIVS PATER, bare head right / CONS ECRATIO, four-tiered funeral pyre: lowest tier garlanded, middle two tiers arched with statues; uppermost tier draped, flanked by torches, and surmounted by triumphal quadriga. RIC IV 24B = BMCRE 37 note = Cohen 11; Woodward, *Pertinax* –; Calicó 2382; Biaggi –. VF, test mark on obverse and on reverse, traces of possible prior mounting. One of two known. (\$20,000)

Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 31 (26 October 1985), lot 66.



1144. Didius Julianus. AD 193. AR Denarius (19mm, 2.81 g, 12h). Rome mint. IMP CAES M DID IVLIAN AVG, laureate head right / RECTOR ORBIS, Didius Julianus, togate, standing left, holding globe in outstretched right hand and volumen in left. RIC IV 3; RSC 15; BMCRE 7-8. Good VF, slightly granular surfaces. (\$1500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind.



1145. Didius Julianus. AD 193. Æ Sestertius (27mm, 18.68 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP CAES M DID SEV ER IVLIAN A[VG], laureate head right / P M TR P COS, S C across lower field, Fortuna, draped, standing left, holding rudder set on globe in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC IV 15; Banti 5; BMCRE 26. VF, pale green patina, some red and brown, traces of earthen deposits. Rare. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Auctions XVI (16 August 1991), lot 513; Edward J. Waddell II (12 September 1987), lot 537.



1146. Manlia Scantilla. Augusta, AD 193. Æ Sestertius (28.5mm, 18.65 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Didius Julianus. MANLIA • SCAN TILLA • AVG, draped bust right, wearing hair in waved nearly vertical lines and fastened in large bun on back of head / [IV]NO REGINA, S C low across field, Juno, wearing stephane, draped, standing left, holding patera in extended right hand and vertical scepter in left; at feet to left, peacock standing left, head turned back to catch drops from patera. RIC IV 18a (Julianus); Banti 2A; BMCRE 32-5 (Julianus). VF, green-brown and red-brown patina, edge split. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 54 (14 June 2000), lot 1658.

1147. Didia Clara. Augusta, AD 193. Æ Sestertius (30mm, 20.01 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Didius Julianus. DIDIA CLA RA AVG, draped bust right / HILA R [TEM]POR, S C across field, Hilaritas standing left, holding long palm in outstretched right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 20 (Julianus); Woodward, *Didius*, dies 5/K; Banti 1; BMCRE 40 (Julianus). VF, green and brown surfaces. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Kovacs XV (1 October 2003), lot 355; Sotheby Park Bernet (24 February 1977), lot 337.



1148. Pescennius Niger. AD 193-194. AR Denarius (18mm, 3.91 g, 12h). Antioch mint. IM P CAES C PESC NIGER IVS AVG COS II, laureate head right / FELICITAS TEMPORVM, cista filled with grapes, grain ear, poppies, and other fruit. RIC IV 17; RSC 16a; BMCRE 293. EF, lightly toned, some roughness. Well centered and well struck. (\$2000)



1149. Pescennius Niger. AD 193-194. AR Denarius (17mm, 3.74 g, 12h). Antioch mint. IM P CAES C PESC N NIGER IVST AVG (*sic*), laureate head right / MARTI VICTORI (*sic*), Mars standing left, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left. RIC IV 55 var. (legends); RSC 51 var. (same); BMCRE 308 var. (same). EF, die break on obverse. Exceptional metal for issue. (\$3000)



1150. Pescennius Niger. AD 193-194. AR Denarius (18mm, 2.49 g, 12h). Antioch mint. IMP CAES C PESC NIGER IVST AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA ADVANCING, Victory advancing right, holding wreath in outstretched right hand and palm frond over shoulder in left. RIC IV 86 var. (obv. legend and bust type); cf. T.V. Buttrey, "The Denarii of Pescennius Niger," NC 1992 President's Address, p. xix, fig. 6; RSC 75aa var. (Victory left); BMCRE, 314 var. (same); cf. Rauch 94, lot 1033 (for obv.; same die). Good VF, edges a little crystallized. Rare bust type. (\$1500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind.



1151. Clodius Albinus. As Caesar, AD 193-195. Æ Sestertius (30.5mm, 24.13 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 194-195. D CLOD • SEPT ALBIN CAES, bareheaded and bearded bust right, slight drapery / FELI[C]ITAS COS II, S C low across field, Felicitas, draped, standing left, holding up caduceus in right hand and nearly vertical scepter in left. RIC IV 52d; Banti 7; BMCRE 530-1 (Wars of Succession). Near EF, dark green patina, areas of red, some cleaning marks, deposits on reverse. Excellent portrait. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Lucien Birkler, October 1991.



1152. Septimius Severus. AD 193-211. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.33 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 193. IMP CAE • L • SEP SE V • PERT AVG, laureate head right / VICT • AVG TR P COS, Victory advancing left, holding wreath in right hand and cradling palm frond in left arm. RIC IV 22; Calicó 2546; BMCRE 28; Biaggi 1107. Near EF, a couple marks. (\$10,000)



1153. Septimius Severus. AD 193-211. AV Aureus (19mm, 7.16 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 193. IMP CAE • L • SEP SE V • PERT AVG, laureate head right / VIRT • AVG TR P COS, Virtus standing left, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left. RIC IV 24; Calicó 2570; BMCRE 32; Biaggi 1114. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$20,000)

Ex Tkalec (8 September 2008), lot 279.



1154. Septimius Severus. AD 193-211. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.38 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 193. IMP CAE • L • SEP SE V • PERT AVG, laureate head right / VIRT • AV G TR P COS, Virtus standing left, holding Victory in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left. RIC IV 24; Calicó 2570; BMCRE 32; Biaggi 1114. EF, toned, some underlying luster. (\$20,000)



1155. Septimius Severus. AD 193-211. AV Aureus (20mm, 7.51 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 210. SEVERVS PIVS AVG, laureate head left / VICTORIAE above, AVGG in exergue, Victory, holding whip in right hand and reins in left, driving galloping quadriga right. RIC IV –; Calicó 2559a; BMCRE –; Biaggi –; Leu 28, lot 491. EF, lightly toned. Well centered and well struck. Second example known with bust left. (\$20,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 97 (10 May 2006), lot 43; Giessener Münzhandlung 69 (18 November 1994), lot 638.



1156. Julia Domna. Augusta, AD 193-217. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.18 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck circa AD 200-207. IVLIA AVGVSTA, draped bust right / IVNO REGINA, Juno standing left, holding patera in right hand, scepter in left; at feet, peacock standing left. RIC IV 560; Calicó 2618a (this coin illustrated); BMCRE 42 note; Biaggi 1142. EF, toned. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Dürr & Michel (16 November 1998), lot 49; Leu 33 (3 May 1983), lot 95; Virgil M. Brand Collection (Part 3, Sotheby's, 9 June 1983), lot 372; O'Hagan Collection (Part IV, Sotheby, Wilkinson & Hodge, 13 July 1908), lot 531.



1157. Julia Domna. Augusta, AD 193-217. Æ Sestertius (32mm, 24.81 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 215. IVLIA PIA FELIX AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / SAECVLI FELICITAS, S C across field, Felicitas, draped, standing left, holding long, vertical caduceus in left hand, and sacrificing out of patera in right hand over garlanded and lighted altar to left. RIC IV 590; Banti 42; BMCRE 215 (Caracalla). Near EF, dark green patina, some red and brown, a pair of edge splits, minor roughness, smoothing, and marks. Struck on a broad flan. (\$2000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Harlan Berk, March 1996.

Victory in Britain



1158. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ Sestertius (32mm, 29.07 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 210. M AVREL ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, laureate bust right, slight drapery / VICTORIAE BRITTANNICAE, S C in exergue, Victory, winged and draped, standing right, left foot on helmet, left knee bent, resting right hand on trophy, consisting of helmet, cuirass, spears, shields, and greaves; on right, Britannia, towered and draped, standing facing; to her left, captive seated left, hands tied behind back. RIC IV 464; Banti 132; SCBC 659; BMCRE 819-20 (Septimius and Caracalla). Good VF, dark green-brown patina, some lighter green and red. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 73 (13 September 2006), lot 949.



1159. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ Sestertius (31mm, 21.20 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 211-212. M AVREL ANTONINVS PIVS AVG BRIT, laureate head right / PROVIDENTIAE DEORVM, S C across lower field, Providentia standing left, holding wand in right hand over globe and scepter in left. RIC IV 511a; Banti 100; BMCRE 242. Near EF, red-brown patina, traces of minor roughness. (\$3000)

Countermarked by Tium



1160. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ Sestertius (33mm, 31.83 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 211-213. M AVREL ANTONINVS PIVS AVG BRIT, laureate head right; c/m: large H with four-rayed star below; to left, crescent with horns to left; all within circular incuse / SECVRITATI PERPETVAE, S C in exergue, Securitas enthroned right, resting head on right hand, with right arm resting on throne back, and holding scepter in left; lighted and garlanded altar to right. For coin: RIC IV 512d; Banti 115; BMCRE 250-2 (Septimius, Caracalla, and Geta); for c/m: Howgego 825. Near EF, attractive olive-brown patina, minor roughness on reverse. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich, acquired from Leu, May 1998.

Most of the known coins bearing this countermark are provincial issues of Tium, hence the attribution to that city.



1161. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ Sestertius (31.5mm, 26.19 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 213-214. M AVR ANTONINVS PIVS FELIX AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PROVIDENTIAE DEORVM, S C across field, Providentia, draped, standing left, holding vertical scepter in left hand and wand in right hand over globe set on ground to left, fold of drapery over left arm. RIC IV 535; Banti 105; BMCRE p. 479 ‡. EF, glossy, dark green patina, a pair of short edge splits, areas of minor roughness. (\$5000)



Enlargement of Lot 1162



1162. Caracalla. AD 198-217. AV Aureus (21mm, 7.20 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 214. ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bearded adult bust right / P M TR P XVII COS IIII P P, Salus standing right, holding serpent in right hand and feeding it from bowl held in her left; to right, Asclepius standing facing, head left, globe at feet, leaning on serpent-entwined staff; between small hooded Telesphorus standing facing. Unpublished, but cf. Calico 2714 for an aureus of the same year depicting Asclepius and Telesphorus. EF, lustrous. (\$20,000)



1163. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ Sestertius (29mm, 18.73 g, 1h). Rome mint. Struck AD 214. M AVREL ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P XVII IMP III COS IIII P P, S C low across field, LIB AVG VIII in exergue, Caracalla, togate, seated left on curule chair on low platform, extending right hand; to right, officer standing left; to left on platform, Liberalitas, draped, standing left, holding up abacus in right hand and cornucopia in left; at foot of platform, citizen, togate, climbing steps, holding out in both hands fold of toga. RIC IV 527; Banti 23; BMCRE 265. Good VF, brown surfaces, some red and green, minor roughness. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2, Superior, 9 December 1989), lot 3286.



1164. Caracalla. AD 198-217. AR Antoninianus (23mm, 5.10 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 215. ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, radiate, draped, and cuirassed adult bust right / P M TR P XVIII COS IIII P P, radiate lion advancing left, holding thunderbolt in jaws. RIC IV –; RSC –; BMCRE –; CNG E-214, lot 419; DDTP p. 23 = AdG p. 34 (this coin). Superb EF, toned. Rare bust type for this year's reverse. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Freeman & Sear FPL 5 (Spring 1998), no. E140.



1165. Caracalla. AD 198-217. Æ As (26mm, 11.33 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 215. ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P XVIII COS III P P, S C across field, Asclepius standing facing, leaning to left on serpent-entwined staff set on ground; globe to right; to left; small hooded figure of Telesphorus standing facing. RIC IV 554b; BMCRE 292; Kampmann 16 (this coin). EF, beautiful green patina. Well struck. An exceptional coin. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 15 (18 May 1999), lot 401.



1166. Caracalla. AD 198-217. AV Aureus (21mm, 6.87 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 216. ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bearded adult bust right / P M TR P XVIII COS III P P, Serapis standing facing, head left, raising right hand and holding scepter in left. RIC IV 280b; Calicó 2745 = Biaggi 1197 (same dies); BMCRE 164 (same dies). EF, lightly toned, minor deposits in obverse legend and hair of portrait, light die break on reverse. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex G. Hirsch 193 (19 February 1997), lot 87; G. Hirsch XIV (19 September 1957), lot 707.



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1167. Geta. AD 209-211. Æ Sestertius (31.5mm, 24.60 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 211. P SEPTIMIVS GETA PIVS AVG BRIT, laureate bust right, slight drapery / VICT BRIT TR P III COS II, S C in exergue, Victory, winged and draped, seated right on cuirass, inscribing with right hand oval shield, balanced on left knee, left hand helping to balance shield; on ground at left, oblong shield; under feet, oblong shield; to right, oblong shield and helmet. RIC IV 172b; Banti 60; SCBC 663A; BMCRE 268-9 (Septimius, Caracalla, and Geta). VF, dark brown, rough river surfaces, traces of red. Rare. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from George Beach, March 1990.

1168. Macrinus. AD 217-218. AR Denarius (19.5mm, 3.15 g, 6h). Rome mint, 5th officina. 2nd emission, AD 217-218. IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right / PONTIF MAX TR P COS P P, Securitas, draped, standing left, legs crossed, holding vertical scepter in right hand and resting left arm on column to right, fold of drapery falling over left arm. RIC IV 24; Szaivert series 6; Clay Issue 2; RSC 62; BMCRE 40. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$500)



1169. Macrinus. AD 217-218. Æ Sestertius (31mm, 22.75 g, 12h). Rome mint, 4th officina. 2nd emission, AD 217-218. IMP CAES M OPEL • SEV MACRINVS AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right, wearing short beard / PONTIF • MAX • TR P • PP, S C in exergue, Salus, draped, seated left on throne, feeding out of patera in left hand snake coiling up around altar, and laying right hand on neck of snake. RIC IV 124; Szaivert 5; Clay Issue 2; Banti 41; BMCRE 117 var. (long beard). VF, green and brown surfaces, minor roughness and smoothing. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Lucien Birkler, January 1990.

1170. Diadumenian. As Caesar, AD 217-218. Æ Sestertius (30mm, 19.77 g, 6h). Rome mint. 2nd emission of Macrinus, AD 217-218. M OPEL ANTONINVS DIADVMEIANVS CAES, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PRINC • IVVENTVTIS, S C in exergue, Diadumenian, in military dress, standing front, head right, holding aquila in right hand and scepter in left; to right, aquila and signum. RIC IV 211; Szaivert series 9-10; Clay Issue 2; Banti 3; BMCRE 149 (Macrinus). VF, brown and dark gray surfaces, some green, brassy highlights on reverse, a few small pits, areas of minor roughness and smoothing. Rare. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Empire Coins, July 1993.



1171. Elagabalus. AD 218-222. Æ Sestertius (29.5mm, 21.94 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck AD 219. IMP CAES M AVR ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, seen from behind / PONTIF MAX TR P, S C in exergue, Roma, helmeted and draped, seated left, holding Victory on extended right hand and vertical spear in left; round shield set on ground to right in front of seat. RIC IV 284; Thirion 4; Banti 44; BMCRE 343-4. VF, even brassy-tan river patina, granular surfaces, a few pits, small flaw on obverse near edge. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Frank Kovacs, December 1989.

1172. Julia Paula. Augusta, AD 219-220. Æ Sestertius (30mm, 22.05 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Elagabalus, AD 220. IVLIA PA VLA AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / CONCORDIA, S C in exergue, Concordia, draped, seated left on throne, holding patera in right hand and double cornucopia in left; star high in left field. RIC IV 381; Thirion 459; Banti 6; BMCRE 415 (Elagabalus). VF, green-tan surfaces, some dark gray and red, hairline flan crack, slight doubling on obverse. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from R. M. Smythe, October 2000.



1173. Aquilia Severa. Augusta, AD 220-221 & 221-222. Æ Sestertius (29.5mm, 22.24 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Elagabalus. IVLIA AQVILIA SEVERA AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / CONCO[RDIA], S C across field, Concordia, draped, standing left, cradling double cornucopia in left arm and sacrificing out of patera in right hand over garlanded and lighted altar to left; [star in right field]. RIC IV 390 (Elagabalus); Thirion 482; Banti 4; BMCRE 432-3 (Elagabalus). Near VF, brown surfaces, some red, green, and earthen deposits, pit on reverse deletes star, hairline flan crack, areas of minor roughness and smoothing. Rare. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Kovacs XV (1 October 2003), lot 371.



1174. Julia Soaemias. Augusta, AD 218-222. Æ Sestertius (30mm, 19.34 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Elagabalus, AD 220-222. IVLIA SOAEMIAS AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / VENVS CAELESTIS, S C low across field, Venus Caelestis, draped, standing left, holding apple in right hand and scepter in left; star low in left field. RIC IV 402; Thirion 385 var. (star in right field); Banti 4 var. (same); BMCRE 375-6 (Elagabalus). VF, dark brown patina, some red and green, some deposits, areas of doubling on reverse. Rare. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 69 (8 June 2005), lot 1441; Numismatica Ars Classica I (19 May 1999), lot 2179.

1175. Julia Maesa. Augusta, AD 218-224/5. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.02 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck under Elagabalus, AD 218-220. IVLIA MAESA AVG, draped bust right / PIETAS S • AVG, Pietas, veiled and draped, standing left, holding acerrum with lid open in left hand and with right hand dropping incense onto garlanded and lighted altar to left. RIC IV 263 (Elagabalus); Thirion 405 var. (break in rev. legend); RSC 29; BMCRE 73-4 var. (Elagabalus, same). Superb EF, lustrous. Bold details. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1176. Julia Maesa. Augusta, AD 218-224/5. Æ Sestertius (30.5mm, 23.56 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Elagabalus, AD 218-220. IVLIA MAESA AVGVSTA, draped bust right, wearing stephane / PIETAS AVG, S C across field, Pietas, wearing stephane and draped, standing left, holding acerrum in left hand and with right hand dropping incense on garlanded and lighted altar to left. RIC IV 414 (Elagabalus); Thirion 408; Banti 6; BMCRE 389-90 (Elagabalus). Good VF, attractive green patina, slight porosity, some pitting on obverse, dark gray deposits mostly on reverse. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Ed Waddell, August 1996.

1177. Severus Alexander. AD 222-235. Æ Sestertius (30.5mm, 24.43 g, 12h). Rome mint. 3rd emission, AD 223. IMP CAES M AVR SEV ALEXANDER AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PONTIF MAX TR P II COS PP, S C in exergue, Securitas, draped, seated left on throne, holding scepter in right hand and resting head on left hand, resting left arm on top of throne, elbow bent; to left, garlanded and lighted altar. RIC IV 407; BMCRE 123-4; Banti 126. Good VF, brown patina, some green. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind, May 2007. Ex Numismatic Fine Arts XVIII (31 March 1987), lot 526.



1178. Severus Alexander. AD 222-235. AV Aureus (20mm, 5.67 g, 12h). Rome mint. 11th emission, AD 230. IMP C M AVR SEV ALEXAND AVG, laureate and draped bust right / P M TR P V COS II P P, Mars advancing right, holding spear forward in right hand and trophy in left over shoulder. RIC IV 52 (bust type c); Calicó 3105; BMCRE 352 var. (bust type); Biaggi 1325 var. (same). Superb EF, lustrous, minor flan split below bust. (\$10,000)

Ex Tkalec (8 September 2008), lot 284.



1179. Severus Alexander. AD 222-235. AV Aureus (20mm, 5.91 g, 7h). Rome mint. 11th emission, AD 230. IMP SEV ALE XAND AVG, laureate bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / P M TR P VIII COS III P P, Alexander, as Romulus, advancing right, holding spear forward in right hand and trophy in left over shoulder. RIC IV 103; Calicó 3121 (same dies); BMCRE 620; Biaggi 1330 (same dies); Triton XI, lot 962 (same dies). FDC. (\$7500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex G. Hirsch 200 (21 September 1998), lot 40.



1180. Orbiana. Augusta, AD 225-227. Æ Sestertius (30.5mm, 21.59 g, 12h). Rome mint. Special marriage emission of Alexander, AD 225. SALL BARBIA ORBIANA AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / CONCORDIA AVGVS TORVM, S C in exergue, Concordia seated left on throne, holding patera in extended right hand and cradling double cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 655 (Alexander); BMCRE 293-4 (Alexander); Banti 1. VF, dark gray patina, cleaning marks. Rare. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Sternberg XXVIII (with Freeman & Sear, 30 October 1995), lot 217; Richard Cyril Lockett Collection (Glendining, 26 May 1959), lot 84.



1181. Diva Paulina. Died before AD 235. AR Denarius (21mm, 2.87 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. 2nd emission of Maximinus I, AD 236. DIVA PAVLINA, veiled and draped bust right / CONSECRATIO, peacock standing facing, head left. RIC IV 1; BMCRE 135 (Maximinus); MIR 27, 39-3; RSC 1. EF, lustrous, flan a little irregular. (\$1500)



1182. Diva Paulina. Died before AD 235. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.18 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. 2nd emission of Maximinus I, AD 236. DIVA PAVLINA, veiled and draped bust right / CONSECRATIO, Diva Paulina, raising right hand and holding transverse scepter in left, reclining left on peacock flying right. RIC IV 2 (Maximinus); BMCRE 127-8 (Maximinus); RSC 2. Superb EF, a few traces of deposits. Perfectly centered and well struck on a broad flan. (\$3000)

Ex A Gentleman's Collection (Triton XII, 6 January 2009), lot 715; Tkalec (18 February 2002), lot 216.

Attractively Patinated Paulina Sestertius



1183. Diva Paulina. Died before AD 235. Æ Sestertius (30.5mm, 22.22 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. 2nd emission of Maximinus I, AD 236. DIVA PAVLINA, veiled and draped bust right / CONSECRATIO, SC across field, Paulina, raising right hand and holding scepter in left, seated left on peacock flying right. RIC IV 3; BMCRE 132 (Maximinus); Banti 1. Near EF, choice olive-green patina, areas of minor roughness, traces of earthen deposits. (\$3000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Triton I (2 December 1997), lot 1578.

Although Paulina's name is not mentioned by any of the ancient writers, the numismatic evidence is quite sufficient to prove that she was the wife of Maximinus I (235-238 AD) and probably the mother of the Caesar Maximus. A provincial bronze issue in her name from the Cilician mint of Anazarbus actually bears a date corresponding to the year 235/6 AD. Like her Roman issues, this coin is posthumous, but it does accord her the imperial title of Augusta suggesting that she was still alive at the time of her husband's accession but died shortly afterward. The single surviving stone inscription in which she is mentioned (CIL x. 5054) gives a fuller version of her name and titles, Diva Caecilia Paulina Pia Augusta.



1184. Maximus. Caesar, AD 235/6-238. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.40 g, 6h). Rome mint. 3rd emission of Maximinus I, AD 236-237. MAXIMVS CAES GERM, bareheaded and draped bust right / PRINC IVVENTVTIS, Maximus standing left, holding baton and spear; two signa to right. RIC IV 3; BMCRE 211-2 (Maximinus); MIR 27, 37-3; RSC 10. EF, lustrous, area of die rust on reverse. (\$500)



1185. Gordian I. AD 238. AR Denarius (20mm, 2.75 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / SECVRITAS AVGG, Securitas, draped, seated left on throne, holding transverse scepter in right hand, fold of drapery over left arm. RIC IV 5; BMCRE 11; RSC 10. Near EF, traces of deposits on obverse. Rare. (\$3000)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex Pegasi 108 (14 July 1998), lot 309.



1186. Gordian I. AD 238. AE Sestertius (31mm, 17.12 g, 11h). Rome mint. IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVGG, S C across field, Victory, draped, advancing left, holding up wreath in right hand and holding palm frond in left over left shoulder. RIC IV 12; BMCRE 14-16; Banti 8. VF, dark gray and green patina, some red and brown. Rare. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2, Superior, 9 December 1989), lot 3304.



1187. Gordian II. AD 238. AR Denarius (20mm, 3.21 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PROVIDE N TIA AVGG, Providentia, standing facing, head left, legs crossed, leaning on column, holding wand in right hand and pointing to globe set on ground, and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 1; BMCRE 19-20; RSC 5. Near EF, toned. (\$3000)

Ex Old Sable Collection (Gorny & Mosch 215, 14 October 2013), lot 307.



1188. Gordian II. AD 238. AR Denarius (20.5mm, 2.68 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVS AVGG, Virtus, helmeted, in military dress, standing left, resting right hand on oval shield set on ground and holding vertical, reversed spear in left. RIC IV 3; BMCRE 30; RSC 14. Good VF, toned, some deposits. Rare. (\$3000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Tom Cederlind.



1189. Gordian II. AD 238. Æ Sestertius (29mm, 21.49 g, 12h). Rome mint. IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / ROMAE AETERNAE, S C in exergue, Roma, helmeted and draped, seated left on throne, holding Victory in extended right hand and vertical scepter in left; oval shield in front of throne. RIC IV 5; BMCRE 23-6; Banti 4. Near VF, dark gray and brown patina, some green, traces of deposits, slight doubling on obverse. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection.



1190. Balbinus. AD 238. Æ Sestertius (31.5mm, 21.24 g, 12h). Rome mint. Special inaugural emission. IMP CAES D CAEL BALBINVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / LIBERALITAS AVGVSTORVM, S C across field, Liberalitas, draped, standing left, holding abacus in right hand and cornucopia in left, fold of drapery over left arm. RIC IV 15; BMCRE 2-3; Banti 2. Good VF, dark green patina, some gray, minor pitting on reverse. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Lucien Birkler, March 1990.



1191. Balbinus. AD 238. AR Denarius (21.5mm, 3.03 g, 12h). Rome mint. 1st emission. IMP C D CAEL BALBINVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PROVIDENTIA DEORVM, Providentia, draped, standing left, holding cornucopia in left hand and wand in right hand over globe set on ground to left, fold of drapery over left arm. RIC IV 7; BMCRE 33; RSC 23. EF, lustrous. Well centered and struck on a broad flan. (\$750)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 72 (12 May 1998), lot 495.

1192. Balbinus. AD 238. AR Denarius (20mm, 2.71 g, 6h). Rome mint. 1st emission. IMP C D CAEL BALBINVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVGG, Victory, winged and draped, standing left, holding up laurel wreath in right hand and vertical palm frond in left hand. RIC IV 8; BMCRE 38; RSC 27. EF, bright surfaces. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex Pegasi 109 (14 September 1998), lot 294.



1193. Balbinus. AD 238. AR Antoninianus (24mm, 4.43 g, 12h). Rome mint. 2nd emission. IMP CAES D CAEL BALBINVS AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PIETAS MVTVA AVGG, clasped right hands. RIC IV 12; BMCRE 74-6; RSC 17. EF, find patina, earthen deposits. (\$500)

1194. Pupienus. AD 238. AR Denarius (19.5mm, 2.87 g, 12h). Rome mint. 1st emission. IMPC M CLOD PVPIENVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PAX PVBLICA, Pax, draped, seated left on throne, holding up olive branch in right hand and transverse scepter in left. RIC IV 4; BMCRE 46-7; RSC 22. Near EF, lightly toned, traces of deposits. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex Pegasi 109 (14 September 1998), lot 295.



1195. Pupienus. AD 238. AE Sestertius (30.5mm, 18.22 g, 11h). Rome mint. IMP CAES M CLOD PVPIENVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PAX PVBLICA around, SC in exergue, Pax, draped, seated left on throne, holding up olive branch in right hand and holding transverse scepter in left, fold of drapery over left arm. RIC IV 22a; BMCRE 48-9; Banti 6. VF, brown and red patina, some green. (\$750)

From the RAM Collection.



1196. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (21mm, 5.33 g, 12h). Rome mint, 3rd officina. 3rd emission, AD 239. IMP CAES MANT GORDIANVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / CONCORDIA AVG, Concordia, draped, seated left on throne, holding patera in outstretched right hand and double cornucopia in left. RIC IV 41; Calicó 3188 (same dies); Biaggi 1354 (same dies); Hunter 17. Choice EF, areas of luster, a couple tiny flan flaws, traces of die rust. (\$4000)



1197. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20.5mm, 5.16 g, 6h). Rome mint, 1st officina. 5th-6th emissions, AD 239-240. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / AEQVITAS AVG, Aequitas, draped, standing left, holding scales in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC IV 72A; Calicó 3185; Biaggi 1351; Hunter —. Superb EF, some luster. (\$5000)



1198. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (21mm, 5.18 g, 6h). Rome mint, 6th officina. 7th emission, AD 240. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P III COS P P, Gordian III, in military dress, on horseback left, raising right hand, holding scepter in left. RIC IV 80; Calicó 3220; Biaggi —; cf. Hunter 30 (Denarius). Superb EF, lustrous, a few shallow scratches, small die break and a tiny deposit on obverse. Rare. (\$5000)



1199. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20mm, 4.98 g, 12h). Rome mint, 1st officina. 8th-11th emission, AD 240-243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / AETER NITATI AVG, Sol, radiate, naked except for cloak over shoulders and left arm, raising right hand and holding globe in left hand. RIC IV 97; Calicó 3186a; Biaggi 1352; cf. Hunter 41. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$7500)



Rome or Antioch?

1200. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (19mm, 4.39 g, 12h). Rome (or Antioch?) mint, 1st officina. 8th-11th emission, AD 240-243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / AETER N ITATI AVG, Sol, radiate, naked except for cloak over shoulders and left arm, raising right hand and holding globe in left hand. RIC IV 97; Calicó 3186a var. (break in rev. legend); Biaggi 1352 var. (same); cf. Hunter 41. Superb EF, minor deposits, die break on reverse. Unusual portrait style. Perhaps minted at Antioch. (\$7500)

1201. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20mm, 4.60 g, 12h). Rome mint, 4th officina. 8th-11th emissions, late AD 240-early AD 243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVTI AVGVSTI, the "Farnese" Hercules, naked, standing right, resting right hand on hip and holding club set on rock in left hand; lion skin beside club. RIC IV 108; Calicó 3242; Biaggi 1373-4; Hunter 69-70. Superb EF, areas of luster, traces of die rust on obverse, a few tiny deposits on reverse. (\$5000)



1202. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20mm, 5.06 g, 12h). Rome mint, 5th officina. 9th emission, AD 241. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P II COS II P P, Gordian, in military attire, standing right, holding spear forward in right hand and globus in left. RIC IV 105; Calicó 3222; Biaggi –; Hunter –. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$7500)



1203. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20.5mm, 4.85 g, 12h). Rome mint, 5th officina. Special emission, AD 241. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P III COS II P P, Apollo, naked to waist, seated left, holding olive branch in right hand and resting left elbow on lyre set on seat. RIC IV 102; Calicó 3221; Biaggi 1366; Hunter –. Superb EF, areas of luster, a couple shallow scratches, short edge split. (\$5000)



1204. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20.5mm, 5.17 g, 12h). Rome mint, 2nd officina. 9th-11th emissions, AD 241-243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / IOVI STATORI, Jupiter, naked, standing facing, head right, holding long scepter in right hand and cradling thunderbolt in left. RIC IV 99; Calicó 3200; Biaggi 1358; Hunter –. Superb EF, considerable luster, a couple trivial marks, an area of minor die rust on reverse. Rare. (\$5000)



1205. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (20mm, 5.76 g, 6h). Rome mint, 5th officina. 11th emission, AD 243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M T R P VI COS II P P, Apollo seated left, holding branch in right hand and leaning left arm on lyre set on seat. RIC IV 104; Calicó 3227; Biaggi –; Hunter 40. Near EF, lustrous, a few small marks. (\$5000)



1206. Gordian III. AD 238-244. AV Aureus (21mm, 3.05 g, 3h). Indian imitation. IHA ΘΓΟΟΙΟΥΓΔ ΤΙ ΓΥΙΣ [ΕΛ ΗΥΕ, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / ΔΙΗΤΥΑΗ] [ΥΕΥΣΤΙ, the "Farnese" Hercules standing right, resting hand on hip and holding club set on rock; lion skin beside club. Cf. RIC IV 108; cf. Calicó 3242; cf. Biaggi 1373-4 (all refs. for type). VF. (\$2000)



1207. Philip I. AD 244-249. Æ Sestertius (28mm, 17.22 g, 12h). Rome mint, 1st officina. 6th emission, AD 247. IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / P M TR P IIII COS II P P, Felicitas, draped, standing left, holding long caduceus in right hand and cornucopia in left. RIC IV 150a; Banti –; Hunter –. Near EF, dark brown surfaces, some green and gray, areas of minor roughness. (\$300)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2, Superior, 9 December 1989), lot 3307; Superior (30 May 1980), lot 2473; Superior (14 October 1971), lot 774.

1208. Otacilia Severa. Augusta, AD 244-249. Æ Sestertius (28.5mm, 18.07 g, 12h). Rome mint, 4th officina. 11th emission of Philip I, AD 249. MARCIA OTACIL SEVERA AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane / PIETAS AVGVSTAE, Pietas, draped, standing left, raising right hand and holding acerrum in left. RIC IV 208a (Philip I); Banti 9; Hunter 23-4. Good VF, dark green and brown patina, hairline flan crack, small flan split. (\$300)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Pegasi Numismatics & Lucien Birkler I (8 September 1995), lot 356.

The Usurper Pacatian



1209. Pacatian. Usurper, circa AD 248-249. AR Antoninianus (23mm, 4.23 g, 6h). Viminacium mint. 1st emission. IMP TI CL MAR PACATIANVS AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / FORTVNA REDVX, Fortuna seated left on cuirass, wheel at side, holding rudder set on ground in right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 4; Szaivert, *Beginn* 3; RSC 5; Hunter 1. VF, toned, minor porosity. Well struck for issue. Very rare. (\$10,000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Ed Waddell.



1210. Trajan Decius. AD 249-251. AE Double Sestertius (33mm, 37.71 g, 12h). Rome mint, 4th officina. 3rd emission, early-mid AD 250. IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, radiate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / FELICITAS SAECVLI, S C across field, Felicitas standing left, holding long caduceus in right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm. RIC IV 115a; Banti 9; Cohen 39; Hunter 46 var. (bust type). Choice EF, green and dark brown patina. A well centered and struck example. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Auctiones 26 (16 September 1996), lot 1054.



1211. Trebonianus Gallus. AD 251-253. AE Sestertius (28mm, 17.22 g, 6h). Rome mint, 4th officina. 1st emission, AD 251. IMP CAES C VIBIVS TREBONIANVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / ROMAE AETERNAE, S C in exergue, Roma, helmeted and draped, seated left on throne, holding Victory in right hand and vertical, reversed spear in left; shield set on ground to right. RIC IV 120; Banti 29; Hunter 27. Near EF, brown patina, some red, a trace of earthen deposit on reverse. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Superior (30 May 1990), lot 7278.



1212. Volusian. AD 251-253. Æ Sestertius (29mm, 15.02 g, 12h). Rome mint. 4th emission, early AD 253. IMP CAE C VIB VOLVSIANO AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / CONCORDIA AV GG, S C across field, Concordia, draped, standing left, holding patera in right hand and double cornucopia in left. RIC IV 249a; Banti 4; Hunter 35. VF, dark gray patina and tan-coppery surfaces, traces of deposits. (\$300)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Dr. Arnold Saslow, December 1989.

1213. Aemilian. AD 253. AR Antoninianus (21mm, 3.52 g, 12h). Rome mint. IMP AEMILIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVG, Victory advancing left, holding wreath and palm frond. RIC IV 21; RSC 52; Hunter 5 var. (rev. legend break). Near EF, toned. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex M&M Numismatics FPL 2 (April-May 1998), no. 138.



1214. Aemilian. AD 253. AR Antonianus (22mm, 3.13 g, 6h). Rome mint. IMP CAES AEMILIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVS AVG, Virtus standing left, right foot on helmet, holding olive branch in right hand and spear in left. RIC IV 22; RSC 59. Superb EF, light iridescent toning, areas of underlying luster, minor flan flaw on obverse. Strong strike on both sides and thus rare. (\$1000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1215. Aemilian. AD 253. Æ Sestertius (25mm, 17.59 g, 12h). Rome mint. [IMP CA]ES AEMILIANVS P F AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VOTIS/DECENNA/LIBVS/S C in four lines within laurel wreath. RIC IV 54a; Banti 18; Hunter 25. Good VF, dark gray-brown patina, minor roughness, traces of deposits. Typical compact flan. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Lucien Birkler, December 1990.

Cornelia Supera, Wife of Aemilian



1216. Cornelia Supera. Augusta, AD 253. AR Antoninianus (21mm, 3.68 g, 12h). Rome mint. Struck under Aemilian. C CORNEL S VPERA AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane, set on crescent / VESTA, Vesta standing left, holding patera in extended right hand and cradling scepter in left arm. RIC IV 30 (Aemilian); RSC 5; Hunter 1. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$10,000)

Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 46 (2 April 2008), lot 656.



1217. Valerian I. AD 253-260. AR Antoninianus (21mm, 3.92 g, 12h). Rome mint. 1st emission, AD 253-254. IMP C P LIC VALERIANVS AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / APOLINI PROPVG, Apollo standing right, chlamys flowing behind, drawing bow. RIC V 74; MIR 36, 44d; RSC 25 corr. (draped only); Hunter 8 var. (rev. legend break). Near EF, toned. well struck on great metal. (\$300)

From the D. Fagan Collection.

1218. Valerian I. AD 253-260. Æ Sestertius (28.5mm, 17.41 g, 12h). Rome mint. 1st emission, AD 253-254. IM[P] C P LIC VALERIANVS AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / CONCORDIA EXERCIT[us], Concordia, draped, standing left, holding cornucopia in right hand and double cornucopia in left. RIC V 155 var. (bust type); MIR 36, 15g; Banti 5. Good VF, dark gray-green patina, traces of deposits, minor flan irregularities. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection.



1219. Diva Mariniana. Died before AD 253. Æ Sestertius (29mm, 16.06 g, 6h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. 2nd-3rd emissions of Valerian I and Gallienus, AD 255-257. D[IV]AE [MAR]INIANAE, veiled and draped bust right / CONSECRATIO, S C low across field, Peacock standing facing with tail spread. RIC V —; MIR 36, 217d; Banti 1; Hunter 8. VF, dark green and brown patina, patches of red, minor encrustation. Rare. (\$500)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Tony Hardy Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 67, 22 September 2004), lot 1717.

Superb Gallienus Aureus



1220. Gallienus. AD 253-268. AV Aureus (20mm, 3.52 g, 12h). Rome mint. 1st emission, AD 253-254. IMP C P LIC GALLIENVS AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / IOVI CON SERVA, Jupiter standing left, holding thunderbolt in raised right hand and scepter in left. RIC V 75; MIR 36, 25p; Calicó 3515; Biaggi 1461; Hunter —. Superb EF. (\$15,000)



1221. Divus Valerian II. Died AD 258. Æ Sestertius (24.5mm, 11.70 g, 12h). Consecration issue. Rome mint. Struck under Valerian I and Gallienus. DIVO CAES [VALERIANO], bareheaded and draped bust right / [CONSE]CRATIO, [S C] in exergue, funeral pyre in five tiers, the highest and lowest ornamented with festoons, the three between with standing figures, surmounted by Valerian II in spread biga. RIC IV 35; MIR 36, 264r; Banti 3; Hunter 6. VF, red-brown patina, some gray and green, cleaning marks. Rare. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Frank Kovacs, February 2004.

1222. Salomonus. As Caesar, AD 258-260. Æ Sestertius (25mm, 13.85 g, 5h). Rome mint. [LIC COR SAL VA]LERIANVS N CAES, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PRIN[CIP]I IV[VENT]VTIS, Salomonus, in military dress, standing left, holding globe in outstretched right hand and vertical scepter in left; to left, captive seated left. RIC V 32; MIR 36, 269q; Banti 2; Hunter 5. VF, green-brown patina, some red. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the RAM Collection, purchased from Ed Waddell, December 1990.



1223. Macrianus. Usurper, AD 260-261. Antoninianus (24mm, 3.96 g, 6h). Antioch mint. 2nd emission. IMP C FVL MACRIANVS P F AVG, radiate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / SOLI INVICTO, Sol standing left, raising right hand and holding globus in outstretched left. RIC V 12; MIR 44, 1741b-c; RSC 12; Hunter 8 var. (star to left). EF, toned. Great metal for issue. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex Pegasi BBS 109 (14 September 1998), lot 321.



1224. Quietus. Usurper, AD 260-261. Antoninianus (22mm, 3.59 g, 12h). Antioch mint. 2nd emission. IMP C FVL QVIETVS P F AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / AEQVTAS (sic) AVGG, Aequitas standing facing, head left, holding scales in right hand, cradling cornucopia in left arm; star in left field. RIC V 2; MIR 44, 1727n; RSC 1d; Hunter 1 corr. (also cuirassed). EF, toned. Great metal for issue. (\$500)

From the D. Fagan Collection. Ex Pegasi BBS 109 (14 September 1998), lot 322.

The Usurper Regalianus



1225. Regalianus. Usurper, AD 260. AR Antoninianus (20mm, 2.81 g, 6h). Carnuntum mint. IMP C P C REG[ALIANVS AVG], radiate and draped bust right / ORIENS Λ[V]G[G], Sol standing left, raising right hand and holding whip in left. RIC V 7; MIR 43, 1713f (same dies as illustration); RSC 4a; Hunter 2 (example overstruck on denarius of Septimius Severus). Good VF, toned. Overstruck on a Rome mint denarius of Elagabalus, struck AD 218, with a VICTOR ANTONINI AVG reverse (RIC IV 156-7). Extremely rare. (\$15,000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Harlan J. Berk.



1226. Laelianus. Romano-Gallic Usurper, AD 269. Antoninianus (21mm, 2.79 g, 6h). Colonia Agrippinensis (Cologne) mint. 2nd emission. IMP C LAELIANVS P F AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTO R I A AVG, Victory advancing right, holding wreath in outstretched right hand and palm frond in left over shoulder. RIC V 9; Gilljam 16 (dies V/59[54]); AGK 1b. EF, beautiful hard olive-brown patina, small edge split. (\$1000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



Enlargement of Lot 1227



1227. Aurelian, with Severina. AD 270-275. Æ Double Sestertius (29mm, 13.54 g, 6h). Rome mint. 11th emission, January-September AD 275. IMP AVRELIANVS AVG, radiate and cuirassed bust of Aurelian right / SEVERI NA AVG, draped bust of Severina right, wearing stephane, set on crescent. RIC V 1 (Sestertius); BN 322-6 (Dupondius); MIR 47, 143e; Hunter 1-3 (Sestertius). VF, attractive green patina, some gray, areas of minor porosity, flan flaw on obverse. (\$1000)

From the RAM Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 54 (14 June 2000), lot 1787.



1228. Tacitus. AD 275-276. AV Aureus (20mm, 4.22 g, 12h). Ticinum mint. IMP C M CL TACITVS P AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / ROMAE AET ERNAE, Roma seated left on shield, holding Victory set on globe in outstretched right hand and scepter in left. RIC V 116; BN 394/392 (obv./rev.; same obv. die); Calicó 4104; Biaggi 1600 var. (bust type); Hunter 40. EF, lustrous, some light marks. Rare. (\$15,000)



1229. Probus. AD 276-282. Antoninianus (24.5mm, 4.16 g, 7h). Serdica mint, 2nd officina. 4th emission, AD 277. BONO IMP C PROBO INVICTO AVG, radiate bust left, wearing imperial mantle / VIRTVS PROBI AVG, Probus on horseback riding right, holding spear in right hand and shield in left, spearing fallen enemy; shield below horse; KAB. RIC V –; Pink VI/1, p. 45; Maravielle –; Hunter –; cf. CNG 66, lot 1611 for this same obv. legend. EF, silvered, toned. Struck on a broad flan. Extremely rare. (\$1000)



1230. Magnia Urbica. Augusta, AD 283-285. Antoninianus (22mm, 4.14 g, 6h). Siscia mint, 1st officina. 6th emission of Carinus, July AD 284. MAGNIAE VRBICAE AVG, draped bust right, wearing stephane, set on crescent / VENVS GEN ETRIX, Venus standing left, holding apple and scepter; to left, Cupid standing right with hands raised; -A//SMSXXI. RIC V 350; Pink VI/2, p. 48; Pink, *Magnia*, 2b; Hunter –. EF, traces of silvering. (\$750)

Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 46 (2 April 2008), lot 676.

Julian of Pannonia, Usurper



1231. Julian of Pannonia. Usurper, AD 284-285. Antoninianus (22mm, 3.44 g, 12h). Siscia mint, 2nd officina. Struck December AD 284. IMP C M AVR IVLIANVS P F AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / FELICITAS TEMPORVM, Felicitas standing left, holding caduceus in outstretched right hand and scepter in left;; S-B//XXI. RIC V 2; Pink VI/2, p. 49; Venèra 4398 var. (rev. legend break); Hunter —. Near EF. An attractive example of this rare type. (\$3000)



1232. Julian of Pannonia. Usurper, AD 284-285. Antoninianus (21mm, 3.23 g, 12h). Siscia mint, 3rd officina. Struck December AD 284. IMP C M AVR IVLIANVS P F AVG, radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / PAN NONIA E AVG, the Two Pannonias standing facing, one looking left and the other right, right hands outstretched; the Pannonia on the right holds signum in left hand; S//XXII. RIC V 4; Pink VI/2, p. 50; Venèra 4399; Hunter 3. Good VF, traces of silvering. Rare. (\$3000)

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1233. Diocletian. AD 284-305. AR Argenteus (19mm, 3.40 g, 12h). Ticinum mint. Struck circa AD 295. DIOCLETIANVS AVG, laureate head right / VICTORIA SARMAT, the four tetrarchs standing facing one another before city enclosure with six turrets, sacrificing over tripod. RIC VI 16a; Jeločnik 29; RSC 488d; DOC —; Hunter —; AdG p. 34 (this coin). Superb EF, toned. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 65 (21 May 1996), lot 477.



1234. Diocletian. AD 284-305. AV Aureus (21mm, 4.63 g, 12h). Light issue. Cyzicus mint. Struck AD 284-286. IMP C C VAL DIOCLETIANVS P F AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / IOVI CONSERVATORI ORBIS, Jupiter standing left, holding Victory set on globe in outstretched right hand and scepter in left. RIC V 299; Depeyrot 2/3; Calicó 4525 = Biaggi 1729; DOC –; Hunter –. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Triton II (1 December 1998), lot 1037.



1235. Diocletian. AD 284-305. AR Argenteus (20mm, 3.32 g, 11h). Antioch mint, 8th officina. Struck circa AD 298. DIOCLETIANVS AVG, laureate head right / VIRTVS MILITVM, three-turreted camp gate without doors; *ANTH*. RIC VI 42a; RSC 520i; DOC –; Hunter –. Superb EF, iridescent toning. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Triton I (2 December 1997), lot 1661.

1236. Maximianus. First reign, AD 286-305. AR Argenteus (19mm, 3.38 g, 12h). Ticinum mint. Struck circa AD 300. MAXIMIA NVS AVG, laureate head right / XCVI T in two lines across field within wreath with large central jewel. RIC VI 20b; Jeločnik –; RSC 69. Choice EF, lustrous. (\$1000)



1237. Constantius I. As Caesar, AD 293-305. Æ Follis (27mm, 9.76 g, 6h). Siscia mint, 2nd officina. Struck circa AD 301. CONSTANTIVS NOB CAES, laureate head right / SACRA MONETA AVGG ET CAESS NOSTR, Moneta standing left; holding scales in outstretched right hand and cradling cornucopia in left arm; *-B//SIS. RIC VI 135a; Hunter 43 var. (officina). EF, small hairline flan crack. Impressive reverse. Nearly full silvering and thus rare. (\$300)

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1238. Galerius. As Caesar, AD 293-305. AR Argenteus (19mm, 3.23 g, 12h). Ticinum mint. Struck circa AD 295. MAXIMIAN VS CAESAR, laureate head right / VICTORIA SARMAT, the four tetrarchs standing facing one another before city enclosure with six turrets, sacrificing over tripod. RIC VI 17b; Jeločnik 31; RSC 208c; DOC –; Hunter –. Superb EF, toned. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Tkalec (23 October 1998), lot322.

1239. Galerius. As Caesar, AD 293-305. AR Argenteus (19mm, 3.24 g, 11h). Antioch mint, 8th officina. Struck circa AD 298. MAXIMIA NVS CAESAR, laureate head right / VIRTVS MILITVM, three-turreted camp gate without doors; *ANTH*. RIC VI 43b; RSC 225e; DOC –; Hunter –. EF, lustrous, a couple of small hairline flan cracks. (\$750)



1240. Maximinus II. AD 310-313. Æ Follis (23mm, 5.14 g, 6h). Nicomedia mint, 4th officina. Struck circa AD 311. IMP C GAL VAL MAXIMINVS P F AVG, laureate head right / HERCVLI VICTORI, laureate nude Hercules, right hand on hip, standing right, leaning on club set on ground; left forearm draped with lion skin; Δ//SMN. RIC VI 68. EF, brown patina. A well struck example. (\$300)

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1241. Constantine I. AD 307/310-337. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.45 g, 6h). Treveri (Trier) mint. Struck AD 314-315. CONSTANTINI NVS P F AVG, laureate head right / RESTITVTO RI LI BE RTATIS, Roma, holding scepter in left hand, enthroned right, shield at side, handing globus held in right hand to Constantine in military attire, standing left, extending right hand to receive globus and cradling parazonium in left arm; PTR. RIC VII 25 var. (rev. legend breaks); cf. Alföldi 428-9 (for type); Depeyrot 20/7; Calicó –; DOC –; Hunter –; Biaggi 1990; Kampmann 18 = AdG p. 42 = DDTp p. 25 (this coin); NAC 49, lot 468. Choice EF, lustrous, hairline die break in obverse field. Extremely rare. (\$10,000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Antiqua FPL VII (1999/2000), no. 111.



1242. Constantine I. AD 307/310-337. AR Miliarensis (23mm, 3.63 g, 6h). Sirmium mint. Struck AD 320. CONSTANTINVS MAX AVG, laureate and cuirassed bust right, slight drapery on left shoulder / FELICITAS ROMANORVM, Crispus with brothers, Constantius II to left, Constantine II to right, each holding long scepter, standing beneath arched pavilion; SIRM. RIC VII 15; Bastien, *Monnaie*, p. 76, i; Gnecci 15 and pl. 29, 1; RSC 149†b; DOC –; Hunter –. EF, toned, hairline flan crack. Extremely rare. (\$2000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 91 (10 May 2004), lot 688.



1243. Fausta. Augusta, AD 324-326. Æ Follis (19mm, 3.26 g, 12h). Thessalonica mint. Struck AD 318-319. FAVS TA N F, draped bust right / Eight-rayed star within wreath with large central jewel. RIC VII 51; LRBC 824; Hunter –. EF, brown patina. Rare without the mintmark. (\$2000)

Ex UBS 78 (9 September 2008), lot 1956.



1244. Crispus. Caesar, AD 316-326. AV Solidus (19.5mm, 4.36 g, 6h). Sirmium mint. Struck AD 325-326. Head right, wearing plain diadem, eyes to God / CRISPVS CAESAR, Victory, draped, advancing left, holding up wreath in right hand and palm frond in left. RIC VII 63; Depeyrot 10/2; Biaggi 2054; Hunter –. Good VF, small flan flaw and a pair of minor die breaks on obverse, a few trivial marks, traces of deposits on reverse. Rare. (\$10,000)



1245. Crispus. Caesar, AD 316-326. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.34 g, 6h). Nicomedia mint, 1st officina. Struck AD 324-325. FL IVL CRIS PVS NOB CAES, laureate bust left, wearing *balteus*, holding spear forward and shield / VIRTVS CAESARI N, Crispus on horseback charging right, cloak flying, holding spear in right hand and shield in left hand, spearing kneeling enemy falling backward; under horse, another fallen enemy and shield; SMNP. RIC VII 84-5 var. (officina); Depeyrot 35/6; Biaggi 2068 var. (same); Hunter –. EF, some hairlines on obverse, traces of deposits. Very rare with this officina. (\$10,000)



1246. Constans. AD 337-350. AR Siliqua (21mm, 3.87 g, 9h). Treveri (Trier) mint. Struck AD 347-348. FL IVL CONS TANS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA DD NN AVGG, Victory advancing left, holding wreath in raised right hand and cradling palm frond in left arm; TR. RIC VIII 176; Gneccchi 70; RSC 152Ta; DOC –; Hunter –. EF, darkly toned, hairline flan crack. (\$400)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 29 (11 May 2005), lot 638.



1247. Constans. AD 337-350. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.51 g, 6h). *Decennalia* issue. Aquileia mint. Struck AD 347. CONSTANS AVGVSTVS, rosette-and-laurel diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right; all within border consisting of wreath with large central jewel / VICTORIAE DD NN AVGG, two Victories standing facing each other, holding between them wreath inscribed VOT/X/MVLT/XX in four lines; SMAQ; all within border consisting of wreath with large central jewel. RIC VIII 45; Depeyrot 5/1; Paolucci 377 (same dies as illustration); DOC –; Biaggi –. Choice EF, toned. Rare. (\$2000)

Ex Old Sable Collection (Gorny & Mosch 215, 14 October 2013), lot 543.

Second Known – Constantius II Medallion of 2 Solidi



1248. Constantius II. As Caesar, AD 324-337. AV Medallion of 2 Solidi (26mm, 8.80 g, 6h). Ticinum mint. Struck June-December AD 326. CONSTANTIVS CAESAR, head right, looking upward slightly, wearing plain diadem / SECVRITAS PERPETVAE, male figure (Constantius or Constantine), in military attire and cradling scepter in left arm, placing right hand on trophy to left; helmet, cuirass, and shield at base of trophy; SMT. RIC VII –; P. Beliën, “A previously unknown gold medallion of Constantius II Caesar from Ticinum,” *NC* 166 (2006), pp. 233 (same dies); Gnecci –; Depeyrot –; Alföldi –; DOC –; Biaggi –; Froehner –; Tocci –; Dressel –; Toynbee –. Near EF, minor marks. One of only two examples known. (\$100,000)

Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 78 (26 May 2014), lot 1168 (hammer 120,000 CHF).

The imperial success of Constantine I and the anticipation of his *vicennalia*, or twenty year anniversary of having been proclaimed Augustus, were tempered in AD 326 with Constantine's execution of the heir-apparent, Crispus, and the empress Fausta. The imperial family underwent a dynastic crisis, and a new arrangement needed to be implemented. Constantine's second son, Constantine II, who had been proclaimed Caesar in AD 317 along with his now-dead brother, became the immediate heir-apparent. In order to balance out the imperial succession, Constantius II, who had been made Caesar on 13 November AD 324 – later than his elder brothers – now became the second in line. Although Constantine's sons had been an important component of the dynastic program – appearing regularly on the coinage – this multiple, meant for distribution to the imperial elite, carried a subtle, but particularly potent message. Dynastic stability had been reconfirmed, perhaps by the same divine assistance that had aided Constantine's rise to supreme power, and his rule, which had already seen two decades pass, would continue for possibly twenty more and beyond – the perpetual security of the reverse legend.



1249. Constantius II. AD 337-361. AR Light Miliarensis (22mm, 4.62 g, 12h). Thessalonica mint. Struck AD 350-355. D N CONSTAN TIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVS EXERCITVS, soldier standing facing, head right, holding reversed spear in right hand and shield set on ground in left; TES. RIC VIII 160; Gnecci 70; RSC 326†j; DOC –; Hunter –. Near EF, toned. Good metal. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 86 (5 May 2003), lot 995.



1250. Vespasian. AD 350. Æ Centenionalis (25mm, 5.35 g, 6h). Siscia mint, 3rd officina. D N VETRA NIO P F AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right; A to left / CONCORDIA MILITVM, Vespasian, in military attire, standing left, holding a labarum, ornamented with a Christogram, in each hand; A-//•TSIS*. RIC VIII 281; LRBC 1168; Hunter –. EF, considerable silvering remains, toned, some green deposits, and cleaning marks. (\$500)



1251. Vespasian. AD 350. Æ Centenionalis (25mm, 5.04 g, 6h). Siscia mint, 2nd officina. D N VETRA NIO P F AVG, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right; A to left / HOC SIG NO VICTOR ERIS, Vespasian, in military attire, standing left, holding labarum with Christogram on vexillum in right hand and cradling spear or scepter in left; to right, Victory, cradling palm frond in left arm, crowning emperor with wreath held in right hand; A-//BSIS*. RIC VIII 277; LRBC 1164; Hunter –. EF, green and brown patina, traces of silvering, cleaning marks in fields, minor flan split. (\$500)



1252. Julian II. As Caesar, AD 355-360. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.51 g, 6h). Antioch mint, 3rd officina. D N IVLIANVS NOB CAES, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right / GLORIA REI PVBLICAE, Roma and Constantinopolis enthroned facing, Roma holding a reversed spear in left hand and Constantinopolis, right foot on prow of galley, cradling a globe-tipped scepter in left arm, supporting shield inscribed with an eight-rayed star between them with right hands; •//•SMANT•. RIC VIII 171 (unlisted officina); Depeyrot 11 note; DOC –; Biaggi 2213 var. (officina). Good VF, a couple of light scratches on obverse. Rare. (\$3000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 77 (11 May 2000), lot 699; Walter Niggeler Collection (Part III, Leu/Münzen und Medaillen, 2 December 1967), lot 1542.

1253. Julian II. AD 360-363. Æ (28mm, 8.66 g, 12h). Sirmium mint, 1st officina. 4th emission. D N FL CL IVLI ANVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / SECVRITAS REI PVB, bull standing right; two stars above; *ASIRM(palm). RIC VIII 107; Elmer, *Kupfergeldreform*, 59; LRBC 1622; Hunter 40 var. (officina); Kampmann 19 (this coin). EF, green patina. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex James Fox Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 40, 4 December 1996), lot 1784.



1254. Julian II. AD 360-363. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Antioch mint, 7th officina. FL CL IVLIA NVS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVS EXERCITVS ROMANORVM, soldier advancing right, head left, holding trophy in left hand and dragging bound captive with right; ANTZ. RIC VIII 199; Depeyrot 15/2; DOC 175; Biaggi 2221 var. (officina). EF, a couple of minimal flan splits, a few minor marks. Very rare officina. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex G. Hirsch 193 (19 February 1997), lot 133.



1255. Valentinian I. AD 364-375. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.48 g, 6h). *Decennalia issue*. Antioch mint, 7th officina. Struck AD 373-374. D N VALENTINIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM, Victory seated right on cuirass with shield behind, inscribing VOT/X/MVL/XX on shield set on left knee; Christogram in lower right field; PANOBZ. RIC IX 22b (officina unlisted); Depeyrot 40/5 (no examples listed for this officina); DOC –; Hunter –. EF. Previously unknown officina for Valentinian. (\$1500)

1256. Valens. AD 364-378. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.53 g, 6h). Nicomedia mint, 5th officina. Struck AD 364. D N VALENTINIANVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / RESTITVTOR REI PUBLICAE, Valens, in military attire, standing facing, head right, holding labarum in right hand and Victory on globe in extended left; SMNC. RIC IX 2c (officina unlisted); Depeyrot 10/2; DOC –; Hunter 59 var. (officina). Superb EF, small divot on bridge of nose, minor traces of deposits in devices. Rare. (\$2000)

Choice Procopius Siliqua



1257. Procopius. Usurper, AD 365-366. AR Siliqua (19mm, 2.10 g, 12h). Nicomedia mint. D N PROCOPIVS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VOT/V in two lines within wreath; SMN. RIC IX 6; RSC 14^h; DOC –; Hunter –. EF, deep gray and iridescent toning, minor scratch under tone on obverse. Struck on a broad flan. (\$2000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 75 (23 May 2007), lot 1149.



1258. Theodosius I. AD 379-395. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.49 g, 12h). Constantinople mint. Struck December 380-381. D N THEODO SIVS P F AVC, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / CONCOR DIA AVCCC, Constantinopolis seated facing on lion head throne, head right, right foot on prow, holding scepter in right hand and globus in outstretched left; CONOB. RIC IX 44c; Depeyrot 32/3; DOC 268; Biaggi -. EF, lustrous, small mark on neck, hairline die break on reverse. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Münzen und Medaillen AG 94 (16 December 2003), lot 479.

1259. Theodosius I. AD 379-395. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.49 g, 12h). Constantinople mint, 9th officina. Struck 382-383. D N THEODO SIVS P F AVC, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / CONCOR DIA AVCCC, Constantinopolis seated facing on lion head throne, head right, right foot on prow, holding scepter in right hand and globus in outstretched left; Θ//CONOB. RIC IX 45d; Depeyrot 33/3; DOC -; Biaggi 2299 var. (officina). Superb EF, lustrous, hairline die break on reverse. (\$1500)

Ex Old Sable Collection (Gorny & Mosch 215, 14 October 2013), lot 594.

Very Rare Eugenius Light Miliarensis



1260. Eugenius. AD 392-394. AR Light Miliarensis (22mm, 4.30 g, 6h). Treveri (Trier) mint. D N EVGENI IVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / GLORIA ROMANORVM, Eugenius, laureate and in military attire, standing facing, head left, holding labarum in right hand and shield set on ground in left; TRPS. RIC IX 104; RSC 2†a; Gnechi pl. 36, 13; Cohen 2; DOC -; Hunter -; Triton XVII, 806 (same dies). EF, toned, small cleaning mark on neck, reverse struck with worn die. Very rare. (\$20,000)

While Gnechi illustrated this type in his corpus with an example from his own collection, he referenced it in his text to a similar type, also from Trier, but with the reverse legend VIRTVS EXERCITVS (see his number 2 in the catalog with the correct Cohen cross-reference). Gnechi did include the GLORIA ROMANORVM type (number 1 in the catalog), but it is for the Milan mint, and nowhere in his catalog does he include the Trier mint version. Furthermore, an example of the VIRTVS EXERCITM type does not appear in his accompanying plates.



1261. Eugenius. AD 392-394. AR Siliqua (18mm, 1.93 g, 12h). Treveri (Trier) mint. D N EVGENI VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VIRTVS RO MANORVM, Roma seated left on cuirass, holding Victory on globe and reversed spear; TRPS. RIC IX 106d; RSC 14a; DOC 296-9; Hunter 2-4. Superb EF, iridescent cabinet toning. (\$1500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1262. Honorius. AD 393-423. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.46 g, 12h). Mediolanum (Milan) mint. Struck AD 395-423. D N HONORI VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVGGG, Honorius standing right, with left foot on captive, holding labarum in right hand and Victory on globe in left; M-D//COMOB. RIC X 1206; Ulrich-Bansa, *Moneta*, pl. VI, 61; Depeyrot 16/2; DOCLR 713; Biaggi 2320. Choice EF, lustrous. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 91 (10 May 2004), lot 748.

1263. Honorius. AD 393-423. AV Tremissis (13mm, 1.48 g, 12h). Ravenna mint. Struck AD 408-421. D N HONORI VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM, Victory advancing right, holding wreath in outstretched right hand and cross in left; R-V//COMOB. RIC X 1340; Ranieri 29; Depeyrot 11/1; DOCLR 738-9; Biaggi -. Good VF, toned, small flan split, struck with slightly rusty dies. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Auctiones 26 (16 September 1996), lot 1255.



1264. Theodosius II. AD 402-450. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.48 g, 6h). *Tricennalia* issue. Constantinople mint, 6th officina. Struck AD 431-433. D N THEODO SIVS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed facing bust, holding spear in right hand, on left arm a shield decorated with horseman spearing an enemy below / VOT XXX MVLT XXXX, Constantinopolis seated left on throne, foot on eagle-headed prow, shield at side, holding globus cruciger in outstretched right hand and scepter in left; star to right; S//CONOB. RIC X 257; Depeyrot 81/1; DOCLR 382; Biaggi -. EF, lustrous. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Gorny & Mosch 129 (8 March 2004), lot 363.



1265. Constantine III. AD 407-411. AR Siliqua (17mm, 1.52 g, 12h). Arelate (Arles) mint. D N CONSTAN TINVS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AAVCCC, Roma seated left on cuirass, holding Victory on globe in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left; SMAR. RIC X 1538; King, *Fifth*, [1]a and pl. 22, 4-5; Ferrando 1705; RSC 4d; DOCLR 805. Superb EF, iridescent toning, small die break in obverse field. (\$1000)

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1266. Constantine III. AD 407-411. AR Siliqua (17mm, 1.56 g, 12h). Arelate (Arles) mint. D N CONSTAN TINVS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AAVCCC, Roma seated left on cuirass, holding Victory on globe in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left; SMAR. RIC X 1538; King, *Fifth*, [1]a and pl. 22, 4 (same obv. die); Ferrando 1705; RSC 4d; DOCLR 805 var. (rev. legend). EF, deeply toned. (\$1000)

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Jovinus, Usurper

1267. Jovinus. Usurper, AD 411-413. AR Siliqua (16mm, 1.59 g, 12h). Arelate (Arles) mint. D N IOVIN VS P F AVC, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / RESTITV TOR REI P, Roma seated left on curule chair, holding Victory on globe in outstretched right hand and reversed spear in left; KON[T]. RIC X 1721; King, *Fifth*, p. 290 and pl. 22, 9 (same obv. die); Ferrando 1717 (same rev. die as illustration); RSC 2+b; DOCLR -. Good VF, toned, small hairline flan crack. (\$3000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Wayne Phillips Collection; Empire Coins 9 (30 April 1988), lot 454.



1268. Galla Placidia. Augusta, AD 421-450. AV Tremissis (13mm, 1.38 g, 12h). Rome or Ravenna mint. Struck AD 440-455. D N GALLA PLA Cidia P F AVG, pearl-diademed and draped bust right, cross on shoulder / Latin cross pattée within wreath; COMOB. RIC X 2062 (Rome and/or Ravenna; same dies as illustration); Depeyrot 47/9 (Rome); DOCLR 831 (Ravenna [or Rome?]; same dies); Biaggi 2336 (same dies); Kampmann 20 (this coin). Superb EF, lustrous. (\$5000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 18 (29 March 2000), lot 776.

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1269. Galla Placidia. Augusta, AD 421-450. AV Solidus (20.5mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Uncertain Asian mint. Struck under Theodosius II, AD 443. GALLA PLA Cidia AVG, pearl-diademed and draped bust right, wearing single-drop earring and pearl necklace, crowned by *manus Dei* above / IMP • XXXXII • COS XVII • P • P •, Constantinopolis, draped and wearing plumed helmet, enthroned left, left foot set on prow, holding globus cruciger in extended right hand and scepter in left; shield set on ground to right; star to left; COMOB. RIC X 305; Depeyrot 84/6 (Constantinople mint); Biaggi —; DOCLR 834 var. (rev. legend); G. Giacosa, *Women of the Caesars* (Milan, 1977), pl. lxx (this coin). EF, some short scratches. Extremely rare late issue of this remarkable empress. (\$5000)

Ex Julius Caesar and His Legacy (Numismatic Fine Arts, 13 May 1991), lot 146; Numismatic Fine Arts XXII (1 June 1989), lot 163.

From the NFA catalogue: “The empress Galla Placidia had a most extraordinary career spanning the first half of the turbulent fifth century. Born about 388, she was the daughter of Theodosius the Great by his second wife Galla, and half-sister of Arcadius and Honorius. Taken prisoner by Alaric during the sack of Rome by the Visigoths in 410, she was eventually married to his successor, Ataulf. Following Ataulf’s death, she was ransomed to the Romans for 600,000 measures of grain, and in 417 married the general Constantius by whom she had a son, the future emperor Valentinian III, and a daughter, Honoria. She acted as regent for the first twelve years of her son’s reign (425-437), but then gradually faded into the background as the political influence of the general Aetius increased. Her final years were devoted to the erection of sacred buildings in Ravenna, and her tomb, which contained also the remains of Honorius and Constantius III, is still to be seen in the city.

Coins honoring Galla Placidia were struck both in the western empire, under her son Valentinian III, and in the East by her nephew Theodosius II. She may already have held the rank of Augusta under Honorius, but if not, she certainly received it in 424 when Valentinian was created Caesar. This attractive solidus, issued from an uncertain Asian mint, may be closely dated by Theodosius II’s titles, which appear on the reverse. His forty-second imperial acclamation, corresponding to the years of his reign, covers the period 10 January 443 to 10 January 444, whilst the celebration of his eighteenth and final consulship on 1 January 444 indicates that the issue to which the present coin belongs had ceased before the end of the year 443. After the reign of Theodosius II, the seated figure of Constantinopolis disappeared from the gold coinage of the eastern empire, not to be seen again until the reign of Justin II more than a century later.”



1270. Valentinian III. AD 425-455. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Rome mint. Struck AD 426-455. D N PLA VALENTINIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORI A AVGGG, Valentinian standing facing, holding long cross in right hand and Victory on globe in left, foot on head of human-headed coiled serpent; R-M//CONOB. RIC X 2014; Lacam 12; Depeyrot 46/1; DOCLR 849-50; Biaggi —. EF. (\$1000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1271. Valentinian III. AD 425-455. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.38 g, 6h). Ravenna mint. Struck AD 430-445. D N PLA VALENTINIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORI A AVGGG, Valentinian standing facing, holding long cross in right hand and Victory on globe in left, foot on head of human-headed coiled serpent; R-V//COMOB. RIC X 2018-9; Ranieri 96 and 98; Lacam 11; Depeyrot 17/1; DOCLR 841-3; Biaggi 2349. EF, lustrous. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Tkalec (7 May 2006), lot 266.



1272. Valentinian III. AD 425-455. AV Tremissis (14mm, 1.43 g, 12h). Ravenna (or Rome) mint. Struck AD 440-455. D N PLA VALENTINIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / Latin cross pattée within wreath with large central jewel; COMOB. RIC X 2069 (Rome and/or Ravenna) = Cahn 80, lot 1012 (same dies); Lacam 37 (Rome); Depeyrot 47/8 (Rome); DOCLR 851 (Rome); Biaggi 2355; Gorny & Mosch 138, lot 285 (same obv. die). EF, minor hairline flan split. (\$1000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.

Imperial Marriage Issue



1273. Valentinian III. AD 425-455. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.49 g, 7h). Imperial Marriage issue. Thessalonica mint. Struck Winter AD 437-438. D N PLA VALENTI NIANVS P F AVG, diademed, helmeted, draped, and cuirassed bust right / FELICITER NVBTIIS, Theodosius II standing facing, clasping together Valentinian III standing facing to left and Licinia Eudoxia standing facing to right; all three nimbed and wearing imperial regalia; COMOB. RIC X –; Depeyrot –; DOCLR –; Biaggi –; Tkalec (29 February 2000), lot 452 = Triton V, 2227 = Triton VII, lot 1061 (same dies); Tkalec (19 February 2001), lot 432 (same dies); NGSA VIII, lot 204 = NGSA II, lot 151 (same dies); Gemini I, lot 485 = NAC 34, lot 114 (same dies); Triton VI, 1160 (same dies); cf. CNG 96, lot 926 (for obv.; same die). EF. Extremely rare, one of approximately six known, all from same die pair. (\$50,000)

Six specimens of this type are known, including the current example, all from the same pair of dies:

- 1) Glenn Woods Collection (Triton VII, 13 January 2004), lot 1061 = Triton V (15 January 2002), lot 2227 = Tkalec (29 February 2000), lot 452.
- 2) Tkalec (19 February 2001), lot 432.
- 3) J.J. Grano Collection (NGSA VIII, 24 November 2014), lot 204 = NGSA II (18 November 2002), lot 151.
- 4) NAC 34 (24 November 2006), lot 114 = Gemini I (11 January 2005), lot 485.
- 5) Triton VI (14 January 2003), lot 1160.
- 6) The present coin.

Following Galla Placidia's falling out with the emperor Honorius, her young son, Valentinian (the future Valentinian III), accompanied Galla and his sister, Justa Grata Honoria, into exile at the court of Theodosius II at Constantinople. When the usurper Johannes seized power in the western empire following the death of Honorius, Theodosius had Valentinian prepared to be the Honorius' legitimate imperial successor. In AD 424, Valentinian was appointed Caesar and betrothed to Licinia Eudoxia, the daughter of Theodosius II. In AD 425 he was proclaimed Augustus at Rome. Twelve years later, in AD 437, he returned to Constantinople for his marriage. The wedding, on 29 October of that year, was a great state occasion. Flavius Merobaudes, the 5th century AD poet and rhetorician, and the official poet laureate of Valentinian III and Aëtius, described that a series of mosaics, now lost, depicted the occasion and the sequence of events that had led up to it.

On their journey back to Rome, the newly-married imperial couple spent the winter of AD 437/8 in Thessalonica, during which time this extremely rare issue of solidi was struck.



1274. Leo I. AD 457-474. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 6th officina. D N LEO PE RPET AVC, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed facing bust, holding spear in right hand over shoulder, on left arm a shield decorated with horseman spearing an enemy below / VICTORI A AVCC, Victory standing left, holding jeweled long cross; star in right field; S//CONOB. RIC X 605; Depeyrot 93/1; DOCLR 525; Biaggi -. EF, lustrous. A well struck example. (\$750)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Jonathan Kern.

Very Rare Half Siliqua of Majorian



1275. Majorian. AD 457-461. AR Half Siliqua (12mm, 0.63 g, 5h). Uncertain mint in Northern Gaul. D N IVLIVS MAIOR[IANVS P F AVG], pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed bust right, holding spear forward in right hand and [shield decorated with Christogram in left] / $\Omega\Omega$ downward to left, VIT downward to right, Victory standing left, holding long cross in both hands; $\star\star$. RIC X 2652 (same dies as illustration); RSC 8†b-c; DOCLR -; Hunter -. Good VF, toned, slightly irregular flan. Very rare. (\$5000)



1276. Majorian. AD 457-461. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.38 g, 6h). Ravenna mint. D N IVLIVS MAIORIANVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed bust right, holding spear forward in right hand and shield decorated with Christogram in left / VICTORIA AAVGG, Majorian, in military attire, standing facing, right foot on human-headed serpent, holding long cross in right hand and Victory on globe in left; R-V//COMOB. RIC X 2624 = Dr. Karl Hahn Collection (Cahn 61, 3 December 1928), lot 1150 (same rev. die); Ranieri -; Lacam -; Depeyrot -; DOCLR -; Biaggi -. VF, toned, a few marks on the cheek. One of two known with the VICTORIA AAVGG and the first to be offered in auction in over 86 years. (\$5000)

From the D. Fagan Collection.

The Hahn specimen, cited by Kent, is now in the National Museum of Denmark, Copenhagen.



1277. Basiliscus & Marcus. AD 475-476. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.34 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 3rd officina. D N bASILISCI ET MARC P AVC, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed facing bust, holding spear in right hand, on left arm a shield decorated with horseman spearing an enemy below / VICTORI A AVCC, Victory standing left, holding jeweled long cross; star in right field; Γ//CONOB. RIC X 1024; Depeyrot 105/2; DOCLR 620; Biaggi –. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$3000)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Freeman & Sear.



1278. Basiliscus & Marcus. AD 475-476. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.50 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 4th officina. D N bASILISCI ET MARC P AVC, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed facing bust, holding spear in right hand, on left arm a shield decorated with horseman spearing an enemy below / SALVS REI PVBLICAE, Basiliscus and Marcus seated facing on double throne, each nimbed, holding mappa in right hand and globus in left; in field between, star above cross; Δ//CONOB. RIC X 1022; Depeyrot 104/1; DOCLR 621; Biaggi –. EF. Rare. (\$4000)



1279. Odovacar. King, AD 476-493. Æ Nummus (8mm, 0.83 g, 3h). Ravenna mint. Struck in the name of Julius Nepos, AD 474-475. [D N IVL NEPOS] P F [AVG], diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / Odovacar monogram. RIC X –; Lacam –; Ranieri –; Morello 22 var. (O above, rather than below); CNG E-269, lot 442. VF, green patina, traces of earthen deposits in devices, minor smoothing in fields. Very rare. (\$500)

BYZANTINE COINAGE



1280. Anastasius I. 491-518. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 10th officina. Struck 492-507. D N ANASTA-SIVS P P AVC, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing slightly right, holding spear over shoulder in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC, Victory standing left, holding long, jeweled cross in right hand; star to right; I// CONOB. DOC 3.1.2-3; MIBE 4a; SB 3. Superb EF. (\$750)



1281. Anastasius I. 491-518. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.35 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 10th officina. Struck 492-507. D N ANASTA-SIVS P P AVC, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing slightly right, holding spear over shoulder in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC, Victory standing left, holding long, jeweled cross in right hand; star to right; I// CONOB. DOC 3.1.2-3; MIBE 4a; SB 3. Choice EF. (\$500)

Ex Monte Judica Hoard

1282. Anastasius I. 491-518. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.50 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 7th officina. Struck 492-507. D N ANASTA-SIVS P P AVC, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing slightly right, holding spear over shoulder in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC, Victory standing left, holding staff surmounted by reversed staurogram in right hand; star to left; Z//CONOB. DOC 7g.2; MIBE 7, pl. 1, 7 = N. Fairhead and W. Hahn, "The Monte Judica Hoard and the Sicilian *Moneta Auri* under Justinian I and Justin II," *SEBGC* p. 29, 1 = Berk 32 (this coin); SB 5. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$750)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex "An Important Private Collection of Byzantine Coins" (Sotheby's New York, 2 November 1998), lot 54; Münzen und Medaillen AG FPL 434 (June 1981), no.19; Monte Judica Hoard.

This attractive coin belongs to, and is seemingly the earliest issue from, a hoard discovered sometime around 1981 on Monte Judica in the province of Catania, Sicily. The hoard is highly important for the light it shines on the production of Sicilian gold under Justinian I and Justin II.



1283. Justinian I. 527-565. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.45 g, 6h). Thessalonica mint. Struck 538-545. D N IVSTINI-ANVS P P AVI, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC, Angel standing facing, holding long cross in right hand, globe in left; star to right; CONOB. DOC 7 (Constantinople); MIBE 22³; Metcalf, *Thess.* 352-3; SB 138 (Constantinople). Near EF, tiny die flaw at top of long cross. (\$500)



1284. Justinian I. 527-565. Æ Follis (41mm, 23.86 g, 5h). Nicomedia mint, 1st officina. Dated RY 13 (539/40). D N IVSTINI-ANVS P PAVC, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder; cross to right / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O X/III flanking; A//NIK. DOC 117a; MIBE 114; SB 201. EF, dark green patina, minor areas of striking weakness. (\$500)

From the Iconodule Collection.



1285. Justinian I. 527-565. Æ Follis (42mm, 23.82 g, 6h). Cyzicus mint, 1st officina. Dated RY 13 (539/40). D N IVSTINI-ANVS P PAVG, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder; cross to right / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O X/II/I flanking; A//KYZ. DOC 165a; MIBE 120a; SB 207. Good VF, green and brown patina. (\$400)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 149 (24 June 2010), lot 548.



1286. Justinian I. 527-565. Æ Follis (41mm, 23.54 g, 6h). Cyzicus mint, 1st officina. Dated RY 14 (540/1). D N IVSTINI-ANVS P PAVG, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder; cross to right / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O X/II/II flanking; A//KYZ. DOC 166a; MIBE 120b; SB 207. EF, green patina. (\$500)

From the Iconodule Collection.

Third Known – Ex Zacos Collection



1287. Justinian I. 527-565. Æ Follis (32mm, 13.36 g, 5h). Rome mint. Struck circa 547-565. D N IVSTINI-ANVS P P AV, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder / Large M; cross above, star below, R/O-M/A across field; all within wreath border. DOC (329); Tolstoi 313; BMC Vandals p. 112, 30; MIBE 221 (this coin cited); SB 299. Fine, brown surfaces, minor scratches. Extremely rare, possibly the third known and the only one in private hands (the others in the British Museum and the Hermitage [= Tolstoi]). (\$3000)

Ex Georges Zacos Collection (privately purchased from Zacos by the present consignor circa 1973).



1288. Justin II. 565-578. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. D N I-VSTI-NVS P P AVI, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding Victory on globe in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC, Constantinopolis seated facing, head right, holding spear in right hand, globus cruciger in left; €//CONOB. DOC 4d; MIBE 5; SB 345. Choice EF, obverse die rust. (\$500)

1289. Justin II. 565-578. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Carthage mint. Dated IY 7 (573/4). D N IVSTI-NVS P P AVI, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding Victory on globe in right hand, shield over left shoulder / VICTORI-A AVCCC Z, Constantinopolis seated facing, head right, holding spear in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB. DOC 190e; MIBE 18b; Morrisson 21 (same dies); SB 391. Superb EF, lustrous, scratch in obverse margin, faint graffiti on reverse. Rare. (\$2000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Berk BBS (16 December 1986), no. 192.



1290. Tiberius II Constantine. 578-582. Æ Follis (35mm, 17.77 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 1st officina. Dated RY 5 (578/9). θ M TIB CONS-TANT P P AVI, crowned bust facing, wearing consular robes, holding mappa in right hand, scepter topped by eagle supporting cross in left / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O Ψ across field; CONA. DOC 11a; MIBE 25; SB 430. Good VF, dark green patina with a dusting of earthen deposits, obverse die break, hard green deposits on cheek. (\$300)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 149 (24 June 2010), lot 563.



1291. Tiberius II Constantine. 578-582. Æ Three-Quarter Follis (28mm, 9.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. Struck 579-582. D M TIB CO-NSTANT P P A, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys / Large XXX; cross above; CONC. DOC 15f var. (obv. legend); MIBE 27; SB 432. EF, dark brown surfaces, cleaning a bit harsh. (\$300)



1292. Tiberius II Constantine. 578-582. Æ Follis (27mm, 9.92 g, 12h). Uncertain military mint, "4th officina". Dated RY 5 (578/9). D M TIB CONS-TANT P P AV, crowned bust facing, wearing consular robes, holding mappa in right hand, scepter topped by eagle in left / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O Ç across field; CONA. DOC –; BMC 27 (Constantinople); MIBE 69; SB –. EF, olive green patina. Rare. (\$300)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 149 (24 June 2010), lot 564.

A group of folles with the mint marks of Constantinople, Nicomedia, Cyzicus, and Theopoulis (Antioch), as well half folles with the Rome mint signature, form a stylistically homogenous group that must be the output of one operation, very likely a military mint. Hahn (MIBE p. 42) argues that this mint struck as a result of "...new military activities on the Persian frontier, in Thracia and in Italy from 579 onwards. It was possibly in this year that the emperor sent a small army unit to Italy as a nucleus for the formation of a Roman city militia."



1293. Maurice Tiberius. 582-602. Æ Follis (30mm, 12.84 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 2nd officina. Dated RY 2 (583/4). D N TIBER M-AVPC P P AVI, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, shield over left shoulder / Large M; cross above, A/N/N/O II across field; B/CONOB. DOC –; MIBE 65B; SB 492. Near EF, brown patina, small area of bare metal revealed on reverse. (\$300)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 149 (24 June 2010), lot 567.

Superb Dated Carthage Solidus



1294. Maurice Tiberius. 582-602. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Carthage mint. Dated IY 4 (585/6). D N MAVRIC TIB P P AV AN Δ, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORI-A AVCC Δ, angel standing facing, holding staff surmounted by staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB. DOC (218); MIBE 25a; Berk 91 (this coin illustrated); SB 548. Superb EF. Lustrous. Rare. (\$2500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex "An Important Collection of Byzantine Coins" (Sotheby's New York, 2 November 1998), lot 153.



1295. Maurice Tiberius. 582-602. AV Solidus (17mm, 4.46 g, 6h). Carthage mint. Dated IY 14 (595/6). D N MAVRI-C T P P AN IA, helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORI-A AVCC IA, angel standing facing, holding staff terminating in staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB. DOC 228.1; MIBE 25b; SB 549. EF, lightly toned, minor edge scrape. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1296. Phocas. 602-610. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.50 g, 7h). Constantinople mint, 10th officina. Struck 602-603. O N FOCAE PERP AVG, crowned bust facing, wearing consular robes, holding mappa in right hand, cross in left / VICTORI-A AVCC, angel standing facing, holding staff terminating in staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; I//CONOB. DOC 3; MIBE 1; SB 622. EF. Lustrous. Rare. (\$1500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.

Hahn (MIB) dates this issue featuring the dative version of the emperor's name and a crown with pendilia to December 602, in anticipation of Phocas taking his first consulship in January 603. Following the precedent of Maurice, however, Phocas postponed the consulship until December of 603. Thus, either the coins were struck in late 602 and stored away until the appropriate time, or the dies were saved for later use.



1297. Phocas. 602-610. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.47 g, 7h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. Struck 607-610. Δ N FOCAS PERP AVI, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVCC, angel standing facing, holding staff surmounted by staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; C//CONOB. DOC 10e.1-5; MIBE 9; SB 620. Superb EF, scratch in reverse field. (\$500)



1298. Phocas. 602-610. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.48 g, 7h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. Struck 607-610. d NN FOCAS PERP AVI, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVS H, angel standing facing, holding staff surmounted by staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; €//CONOB. DOC 10e.6-7; MIBE 11; SB 620. Choice EF, very minor die rust. (\$500)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Lanz 109 (27 May 2002), lot 921.



1299. Phocas. 602-610. AV Solidus (16mm, 4.39 g, 6h). Carthage mint. Dated IY 9 (605/6). D N FOCA-S PERP AN Θ, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORI-A AVGG Θ, angel standing facing, holding staff terminating in staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB. DOC 110; MIBE 32; SB 681. Near EF, minor edge marks. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Triton IX (11 January 2006), lot 1625.



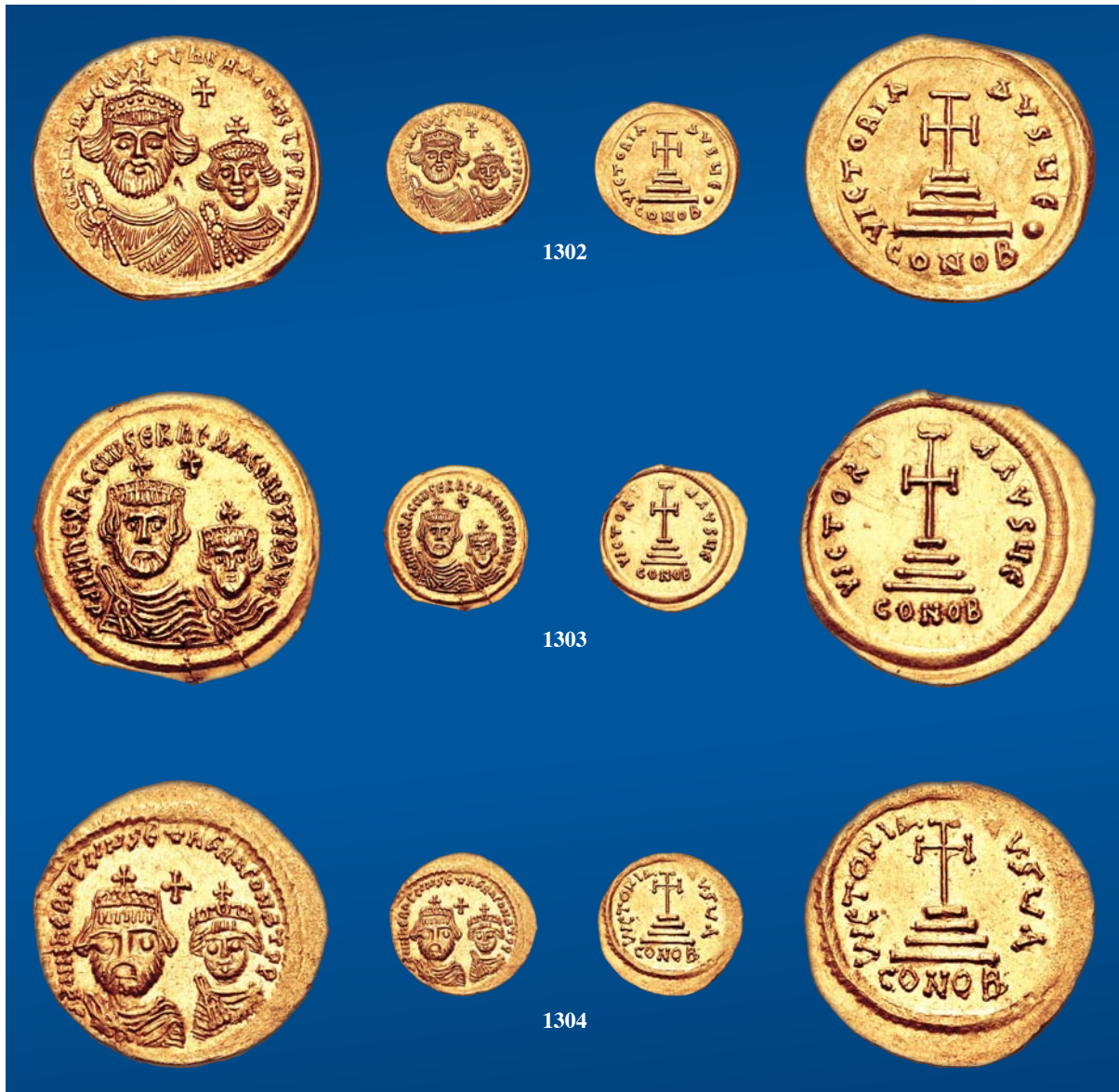
1300. Phocas. 602-610. AV Solidus (16mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Carthage mint. Dated IY 10 (606/7). D N FOCAS PERP AN I, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORI-A AVGG I, angel standing facing, holding staff terminating in staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB. DOC –; MIBE 33; SB 681A. EF. Well struck. Extremely rare. (\$2000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex an "Important Collection of Byzantine Coins" (Sincona 3, 25 October 2011), lot 3196; Numismatica Ars Classica 33 (6 April 2006), lot 647; Auctiones 15 (18 September 1985), lot 850.



1301. Heraclius. 610-641. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. Struck 610-613. d N HERACLI-YS P P AVG, cuirassed bust right, wearing plumed helmet and chlamys, holding cross in right hand / VICTORIA AVS H, cross potent set on three steps; €//CONOB. DOC 3b; MIB 5; SB 731. Superb EF. (\$750)

Three Extremely Rare Military Mint Solidi



1302. Heraclius, with Heraclius Constantine. 610-641. AV Solidus (20.5mm, 4.38 g, 6h). Uncertain eastern military mint, 5th officina. Struck circa 613-616/8. ∂ NN $\text{H}\epsilon\text{RACLI}\text{V}\text{C}\ \epsilon\text{T}\ \text{H}\epsilon\text{RA}\ \text{CONST}\ \text{P}\ \text{P}$, crowned facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / $\text{VICTORIA}\ \text{AVS}\text{?}$, cross potent set on three steps; $\epsilon\text{?//CONOB}$. Bendall, *Jerusalem*, pl. XLI, 18 (this coin); DOC –; MIB 107a (Rome or Alexandria?); SB 928. EF. Extremely rare. (\$1500)

Regarding this and the two following lots, Bendall (p. 317) notes: “There also exist other extremely rare solidi of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine struck at this time, all in the east in the experience of the writer, which are illustrated here (figs. 18-21), which can surely only indicate that in the troubled times between 613 and 616/8 there may have been a number of ephemeral mints connected with Heraclius’ campaigns in the east.”

1303. Heraclius, with Heraclius Constantine. 610-641. AV Solidus (20.5mm, 4.33 g, 5h). Uncertain eastern military mint, 5th officina. Struck circa 613-616/8. $\partial\partial$ $\text{III}\ \text{H}\epsilon\text{RACCI}\text{P}\text{S}\ \epsilon\text{R}\ \text{H}\epsilon\text{RA}\ \text{CONST}\ \text{P}\ \text{P}\ \text{AVG}$, crowned facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / $\text{VICTORI}\text{--}\text{A}\ \text{AVS}\text{?}$, cross potent set on three steps; $\epsilon\text{?//CONOB}$. Bendall, *Jerusalem*, pl. XLI, 20 (this coin); DOC –; MIB –; cf. SB 929. Superb EF, slightly double struck, lamination on reverse. Extremely rare. (\$1500)

1304. Heraclius, with Heraclius Constantine. 610-641. AV Solidus (20.5mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Uncertain eastern military mint, 1st officina. Struck circa 613-616/8. $\partial\partial$ $\text{III}\ \text{H}\epsilon\text{RACLI}\text{P}\text{S}\ \epsilon\text{T}\ \text{H}\epsilon\text{RA}\ \text{CONST}\ \text{P}\ \text{P}$, crowned facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / $\text{VICTORIA}\ [\text{A}]\text{V}\text{S}\text{?}$, cross potent set on three steps; A//CONOB . Bendall, *Jerusalem*, pl. XLI, 21 (this coin); DOC –; MIB –; cf. SB 929. EF, minor obverse die break, a few faint scratches on reverse. Extremely rare. (\$1500)

Two Rare Syracuse Mint Solidi



1305. Constans II, with Constantine IV. 641-668. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.40 g, 6h). Syracuse mint. Struck 654-659. ∂ N CONSTANTINVS CONSTANTINVS, crowned facing busts of Constans, with long beard, and Constantine, beardless, each wearing chlamys; cross above / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on globe set on four steps; to inner right, Γ with pellets to right and below; Θ IC // CONOB. DOC (160a); MIB 92; Anastasi 145; SB 1081. Choice EF. Rare, none in CoinArchives. (\$1000)



1306. Constans II, with Constantine IV, Heraclius, and Tiberius. 641-668. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.28 g, 6h). Syracuse mint. Struck 659-661. ∂ N CONSTANTINVS CONSTANTINVS, crowned facing busts of Constans, with long beard, and Constantine, beardless, each wearing chlamys; cross above / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on three steps; Heraclius and Tiberius, each holding globus cruciger, standing facing on either side; to outer right, Γ with pellets to right and below; CONOB. DOC 161d; MIB 94; Anastasi 166; SB 1084. Choice EF. Rare, none in CoinArchives. (\$1000)



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1307. Constans II. 641-668. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.51 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. Struck 641-646. ∂ N CONSTAN-TINVS P P AV-, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on three steps; ϵ //CONOBC. DOC (2c); MIB 6; SB 939. Superb EF. (\$500)

1308. Constans II. 641-668. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 9th officina. Struck 641-646. ∂ N CONSTAN-TINVS P P AVS, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on three steps; Θ //CONOB. DOC (1i); MIB 3b; SB 938. Superb EF. (\$500)



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1309. Constans II. 641-668. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 1st officina. Dated IY 5 (647). ∂ N CONSTAN-TINVS P P AV-, crowned bust facing, slightly bearded and wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on three steps; ϵ to right; A//CONOB. DOC 5 var. (officina); MIB 9; SB 942. Choice EF. (\$500)

1310. Constans II. 641-668. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.47 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 2nd officina. Dated IY 7 (648/9). ∂ N CONSTAN-TINVS P P AV-, crowned bust facing, bearded and wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA AVSIV, cross potent set on three steps; Z to right; B//CONOB. DOC 13 var. (officina); MIB 16a; SB 949. Superb EF. (\$500)



1311. Constans II, with Constantine IV. 641-668. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.33 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 3rd officina. Struck 654-659. ∂ N CONSTANTINVS C CONSTAN, crowned facing busts of Constans and Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / VICTORIA AVS Ψ , cross potent set on three steps; Γ //CONOB. DOC 25c var. (obv. legend); MIB 26; SB 959. EF. (\$500)

1312. Constans II, with Constantine IV. 641-668. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.52 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 7th officina. Struck 654-659. ∂ N COCTANTINVS C CONTAI, crowned facing busts of Constans and Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / VICTORIA AVS Ψ , cross potent set on three steps; Σ //CONOB. DOC 25g var. (obv. legend); MIB 26; SB 959. EF. (\$500)



1313. Constans II, with Constantine IV. 641-668. AR Hexagram (22mm, 6.82 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 654-659. ∂ N CONSTANTINVS C CONSTAN, crowned facing busts of Constans and Constantine, each wearing chlamys; cross above / ∂ EVS A ∂ I Ψ TA ROMANIS, cross potent set on globe set on three steps; B to right; CONOB. DOC 55; MIB 150; Yannopoulos Type II; SB 996. EF. Exceptional for issue. (\$750)



1314. Constans II. 641-668. AV Tremissis (17mm, 1.48 g, 7h). Constantinople mint. ∂ N CONST[AN-TI]NVS P P AV, diademed and cuirassed bust right, wearing chlamys / VICTORIA AVS Ψ S, cross potent; CONOB. DOC 45; MIB 51; SB 984. Superb EF. (\$300)

1315. Constans II. 641-668. AV Tremissis (15mm, 1.48 g, 6h). Syracuse mint. Struck circa 646-648. ∂ N CONSTAN-TINVS P AV, diademed and cuirassed bust right, wearing chlamys / VICTORIA AVS Ψ , cross potent; I to right; Θ ://CONOB. DOC (168c); MIB 105; Anastasi 74 var. or corr. (rev. legend); SB 1096. Superb EF. (\$300)



1316. Justinian II. First reign, 685-695. AV Solidus (19.5mm, 4.43 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 6th officina. Struck 686-687. $\text{I}\Psi\text{STINIA}-\text{N}\Psi\text{S PC AV}$, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / $\text{VICTORIA AV}\Psi\text{H}$, cross potent set on three steps; $\text{S}///\text{CONOB}$. DOC 2 var. (officina); MIB 2; SB 1243. Superb EF, small obverse die breaks, light deposits on reverse. Rare early issue. (\$1500)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Dr. Anton C. R. Dreesman Collection (Spink, 13 July 2000), lot 528; purchased from Spink, December 1964.

1317. Justinian II. First reign, 685-695. AV Solidus (17mm, 4.36 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 3rd officina. Struck 692-695. $\text{I}\text{H}\text{S CRISTOS REX RE}\Psi\text{NANT}\Psi\text{M}$, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator / $\text{D I}\Psi\text{TINI}-\text{AN}-[\Psi\text{S SER}\Psi\text{ CHRIS}]\text{TI}$, Justinian standing facing, holding cross potent on steps in right hand, akakia in left; $\Gamma///\text{CONO}-\text{P}$. DOC 7c.2; MIB 8a; SB 1248. Superb EF, lustrous. Excellent early portrait of Christ. (\$3000)



1318. Justinian II. First reign, 685-695. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.47 g, 7h). Constantinople mint, 9th officina. Struck 692-695. $\text{I}\text{H}\text{S CRISTOS REX RE}\text{C}\text{NANT[I]M}$, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator / $\text{D I}\text{H}\text{S}\text{TINI-AN-}\text{VS SER}\text{V}\text{C H}\text{RIST}\text{I}$, Justinian standing facing, holding cross potent on steps in right hand, akakia in left; $\Theta//\text{CONO-P. DOC 7g}$; MIB 8a; SB 1248. Near EF, scrape on Christ's nose. (\$2000)



1319. Leontius. 695-698. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 5th officina. D LEO-N PE AV , crowned bust facing, wearing loros, holding mappa in right hand, globus cruciger in left / $\text{VICTORIA AV}\text{S}\text{C}$, cross potent set on three steps; $\text{E//CONOB. DOC (1e)}$; MIB 1; SB 1330. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$2000)

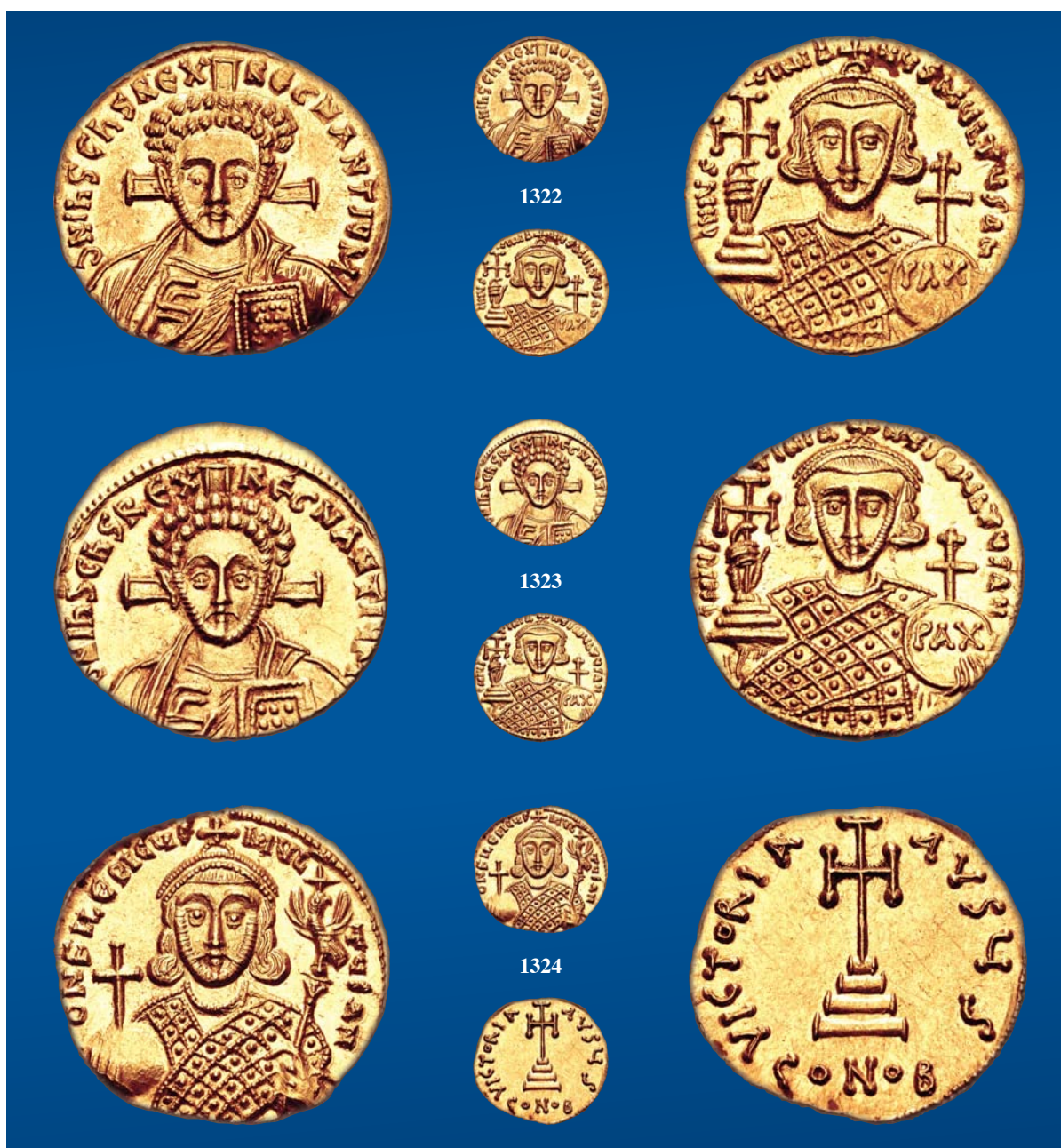


1320. Leontius. 695-698. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.35 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 7th officina. D LEO-N PE AV , crowned bust facing, wearing loros, holding mappa in right hand, globus cruciger in left / $\text{VICTORIA AV}\text{S}\text{C}$, cross potent set on three steps; $\text{Z//CONOB. DOC 1g.2}$; MIB 1; SB 1330. Superb EF, lustrous, a couple minor edge marks. (\$2000)



1321. Tiberius III (Apsimar). 698-705. AV Solidus (18mm, 4.41 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 6th officina. $\text{D TIBERI-}\text{VS PE AV}$, crowned and cuirassed bust facing, holding spear in right hand, shield over left shoulder / $\text{VICTORIA AV}\text{S}\text{C}$, cross potent set on three steps; S//CONOB. DOC 1e ; MIB 1; Berk 193 (this coin); SB 1360. Choice EF, lustrous. (\$1000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex "An Important Private Collection of Byzantine Coins" (Sotheby's New York, 2 November 1998), lot 347.



1322. Justinian II. Second reign, 705-711. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.44 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck circa 705. ∂ N IHS CHS REX REGNANTI Ψ M, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator / ∂ N IVS- Ψ INIA-NVS M Ψ LT Ψ S AN, crowned facing bust of Justinian, wearing loros, holding cross potent set on three steps in right hand, globus cruciger inscribed PAX in left. DOC 1; MIB 1; SB 1413; Kampmann 21 (this coin). Superb EF, lustrous, a few deposits on obverse. Well struck. (\$3000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Münzen und Medaillen AG FPL 603 (Christmas 1998), no. 143; Leu 50 (25 April 1990), lot 407.

1323. Justinian II. Second reign, 705-711. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck circa 705. ∂ N IHS CHS REX REGNANTI Ψ M, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator / ∂ N IVS- Ψ INIA-NVS M Ψ LT Ψ S AN, crowned facing bust of Justinian, wearing loros, holding cross potent set on three steps in right hand, globus cruciger inscribed PAX in left. DOC 1; MIB 1; SB 1413. EF. Lustrous. (\$3000)

Ex Triton XV (4 January 2012), lot 1610.

1324. Philippicus (Bardanes). 711-713. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.44 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 6th officina. ∂ N FILEPIC Ψ S M Ψ L- Ψ S AN, crowned bust facing, wearing loros, holding globe-tipped scepter surmounted by cross in left / VICTORIA AV Ψ Ψ , cross potent set on three steps; Ψ //CONOB. DOC 1f; MIB 1; SB 1447. Superb EF, a few hairlines. (\$3000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex William Herbert Hunt Collection (Sotheby's New York, 5 December 1998), lot 524.



1325. Anastasius II Artemius. 713-715. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 9th officina. ∂ N ARTEMIVS A-NASTASIVS M χ L•, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left / VICTORIA AV ς Q, cross potent set on three steps; Θ //CONOB. DOC 2h; MIB 2; Füeg 2.I.11; Berk 207 (this coin); SB 1463. Superb EF. Considerable luster. (\$1500)

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1326. Leo III the "Isaurian". 717-741. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.50 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 1st officina. Struck 717-720. ∂ N D LEO-N P A M χ L, crowned bust right, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left / VICTORIA AV ς Q, cross potent set on three steps; A//CONOB. DOC 1a; MIB 1; Füeg 1.B.1; Berk 214 (this coin); SB 1502. EF, scratches on reverse. (\$750)

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1327. Leo III the "Isaurian". 717-741. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.13 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 2nd officina. Struck 717-720. ∂ N D LEO-N P A M χ L, crowned bust right, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left / VICTORIA AV ς Q, cross potent set on three steps; B//CONOB. DOC 1b var. (obv. legend, no circlet on crown); MIB 1; Füeg 1.B.2; SB 1502. EF, areas of weakness. (\$500)

1328. Leo III the "Isaurian". 717-741. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.47 g, 6h). Constantinople mint, 4th officina. Struck 717-720. ∂ N D LEO-N P A M χ L, crowned bust right, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left / VICTORIA AV ς Q, cross potent set on three steps; Δ //CONOB. DOC 1 var. (officina); MIB 1; Füeg 1.B.4; SB 1502. Choice EF. (\$500)

Very Rare Rome Mint Leo III



1329. Leo III the “Isaurian”, with Constantine V. 717-741. Pale AV Tremissis (14mm, 1.30 g, 6h). Rome mint. Dated RY 6 (722/3 or 726/7?). D NO LE P A M4L, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand / D NO CON-TANTI, crowned bust facing, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand; star to left, 5 to right. DOC 78-88 var. (date); Ricotti-Prina 100 var. (same); SB 1534 var. (same). Good VF. Very rare and apparently unpublished for this date. (\$2000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex CNG Inventory 915208 (January 2012); “Important Collection of Byzantine Coins” (Sincona 3, 25 October 2011), lot 3437; Gorny & Mosch 107 (2 April 2001), lot 675.

There has been no satisfactory explanation for the system of dates on the solidi and tremisses of Leo III from the Rome mint, if indeed they are dates at all. Ricotti-Pina dated the parallel solidus with the numeral 5 to 722/3, corresponding to the sixth year of Leo’s reign, but similar issues of Leo with Constantine dated A through Γ could not follow this scheme, as Constantine was not raised to the throne until 720. The series as a whole is in need of a thorough study incorporating stylistic and metrological analyses.



1330. Constantine V Copronymus, with Leo III. 741-775. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.45 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 745-750. C LE-ON PA M4L, crowned facing bust of Leo, wearing chlamys, holding cross potent and akakia / N C-ON-STANTIN4S, crowned facing bust of Constantine, wearing chlamys, holding cross potent and akakia. DOC 1g.4; Füeg 3.D.3; SB 1550. Near EF. (\$750)



1331. Constantine V Copronymus, with Leo IV and Leo III. 741-775. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.43 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 750-756. COHCTAHTHOS S LEOH O HCOH, crowned facing busts of Constantine V and Leo IV, each wearing chlamys; cross above, • between / C LE-ON PA M4L, crowned facing bust of Leo III, wearing loros, holding cross potent in right hand; Θ at end of legend. DOC 2c.4; Füeg 4.A.1; SB 1551. Near EF, slightly double struck. (\$750)

1332. Constantine V Copronymus, with Leo IV and Leo III. 741-775. AV Solidus (21mm, 4.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 764-773. COHCTAHTHOS S LEOH O HCOH, crowned facing busts of Constantine V and Leo IV, each wearing chlamys; cross above, • between / C LE-ON PA M4L, crowned facing bust of Leo III, wearing loros, holding cross potent in right hand. DOC 2f var. (control mark at end of rev. legend); Füeg 6.B.4; SB 1551. Near EF. Well centered on a broad flan. (\$750)



1333. Leo IV the Khazar, with Constantine VI, Leo III, and Constantine V. 775-780. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.37 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 776-778. $\text{LEOH VS S } \epsilon\varsigma\varsigma\text{OH COHSTANT' O HEO'}$, crowned facing busts of Leo IV and Constantine VI, each wearing chlamys; cross above, • between / $\text{LEOH PAP' COHSTANT' PATHR}$, crowned facing busts of Leo III and Constantine V, each wearing loros; cross above, • between, Θ at end of legend. DOC 1a.2; Füeg 1.12; SB 1583. Near EF. (\$1000)



1334. Constantine VI & Irene, with Leo III, Constantine V, and Leo IV. 780-797. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.49 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 787-790. $\text{COHST-AHTIHOS C' B' B'}$, Constantine V, Leo III, and Leo IV seated facing, each crowned and wearing chlamys / $\text{S IR-IHI AVT' M-I-TR}$, crowned facing busts of Constantine IV, wearing chlamys and holding globus cruciger in right hand, and Irene, wearing loros and holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; cross above, • between. DOC 1.3; Füeg C.2.3/Ir.2.2; SB 1593. Good VF, minor areas of weakness. (\$2000)



1335. Constantine VI & Irene, with Leo III, Constantine V, and Leo IV. 780-797. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.34 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 787-790. $\text{COHS-TAHTI-HOS C' B' \Delta'}$, Constantine V, Leo III, and Leo IV seated facing, each crowned and wearing chlamys / $\text{S IR-[IHI AVT' TI MI]-TRI}$, crowned facing busts of Constantine IV, wearing chlamys and holding globus cruciger in right hand, and Irene, wearing loros and holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; cross above, • between. DOC 1.4; Füeg C.2.9/Ir.2.6; SB 1593. Good VF, minor weakness, light deposits on reverse. (\$1500)



1336. Constantine VI & Irene. 780-797. AV Solidus (19mm, 4.47 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 792-797. IPIHH AOVSTI , crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left / COHSTAHTIHOS BAS' , crowned facing bust of Constantine VI, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left. DOC 3b; Füeg 5.B; SB 1594. Near EF. Well struck. (\$7500)



1337. Irene. 797-802. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.41 g, 66h). Constantinople mint. ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left / ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; • at beginning of legend, Θ at end. DOC 1b; Füeg 1.A.2; SB 1599. EF, lustrous. (\$10,000)

The powerful personality of Irene had always overshadowed that of her son Constantine, and only a mutinous army prevented her from taking power in 790. After a short period in exile, she returned to Constantinople, and began plans to eliminate her enemies. As the coinage shows, she quickly relegated her son to second place. By 797, she had discredited Constantine to the point that she could have him deposed, blinded, and murdered with little outcry. A conspiracy of the patricians led to her being deposed in 802. She was exiled to Lesbos, where she died the following year.



1338. Irene. 797-802. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.41 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left / ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; • at beginning of legend, X at end. DOC 1c; Füeg 1.B; SB 1599. EF, slightly off center. Lustrous. (\$7500)



1339. Irene. 797-802. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.45 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left / ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; • at beginning of legend, X at end. DOC 1c; Füeg 2.A; SB 1599. EF, toned, slightly irregular edge. (\$7500)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Numismatica Ars Classica 29 (11 May 2005), lot 711.



1340. Irene. 797-802. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.31 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left / ΕΙΡΗΗ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗ, crowned facing bust of Irene, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; • at beginning of legend, ⊕ at end. DOC 1a; Füeg 2.B.1; SB 1599. EF, slight double strike. (\$7500)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 87 (18 May 2011), lot 1293.



1341. Nicephorus I, with Stauracius. 802-811. AV Solidus (20.5mm, 4.39 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 803-811. NICI-FOROS BASILE', crowned facing bust of Nicephorus, wearing chlamys, holding cross potent in right hand, akakia in left; • at beginning of legend / STAVRA-CIS ΘESPO', crowned facing bust of Stauracius, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left; Θ at end of legend. DOC 2a.3-6; Füeg 2.B.2; SB 1604. Choice EF. (\$750)

1342. Nicephorus I, with Stauracius. 802-811. AV Solidus (20mm, 4.43 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 803-811. NICI-FOROS BASILE', crowned facing bust of Nicephorus, wearing chlamys, holding cross potent in right hand, akakia in left / STAVRA-CIS ΘESPO', crowned facing bust of Stauracius, wearing chlamys, holding globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left; X at end of legend. DOC 2c.2; Füeg 2.A.2; SB 1604. EF, minor weakness in legends. (\$750)



1343. Basil II Bulgaroktonos, with Constantine VIII. 976-1025. AV Histamenon Nomisma (24mm, 4.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Struck 1005-1025. +IHS XIS REX RESNANTIH M, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator; crescents in upper quarters of nimbus / +BASIL E COHSTAHTIH R, crowned half-length busts of Basil, wearing loros and being crowned from above by *manus Dei*, and Constantine, wearing chlamys, holding long cross between them. DOC 6a; SB 1800. Choice EF, light scratch in reverse field. Fine style bust of Christ. (\$1500)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Triton II (1 December 1998), lot 1133.



1344. Constantine IX Monomachus. 1042-1055. AV Histamenon Nomisma (30mm, 4.42 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. +IHS XIS REX RCNANTH̄M, Christ Pantokrator enthroned facing / +CΩHCT-ATΛ BASILEYAM, crowned bust facing, wearing loros, holding cruciform scepter with tendril ornament in right hand, globus surmounted by patriarchal cross in left. DOC 1a; SB 1828. Superb EF. (\$750)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich, purchased from Leu, April 1999.



1345. Constantine IX Monomachus. 1042-1055. AV Tetarteron Nomisma (17mm, 4.06 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. -ISII RX RX REINANH̄M, facing bust of Christ Pantokrator / +CΩN-SIAT-IOS ASIL, crowned bust facing, wearing jeweled chlamys, holding labarum in right hand, globus cruciger in left. DOC 6; SB 1833. EF. (\$1000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Superior (4 December 1998), lot 1387.

1346. Theodora. 1055-1056. AV Histamenon Nomisma (25mm, 4.44 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. +IHS XIS REX REINANTIPM, Christ Pantokrator standing facing on dais / +ΘEOΔΩΡΑ AVTOVCTA, Theodora and the Virgin Mary standing facing, holding labarum between them; M-Θ flanking Virgin. DOC 1a; SB 1837. Good VF, lightly toned, a few obverse die scratches. (\$1500)

From the TJH Collection.



1347. Eudocia, with Michael VII and Constantius. 1067. AV Histamenon Nomisma (26mm, 4.37 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. +H̄S XIS REX R̄CNANTIH̄M, Christ Pantokrator enthroned facing / +MIX EV-ΔK KΩNS, Eudocia, holding jeweled scepter in right hand, standing facing on footstool, flanked by her sons Michael and Constantius, each holding globus cruciger and akakia. DOC 1; Berk 319 (this coin); SB 1859. EF, toned. A well struck example. (\$2000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex "An Important Private Collection of Byzantine Coins" (Sotheby's New York, 2 November 1998), lot 539.

Eudocia ruled as regent from the death of her husband Constantine X in May of 1067 until the end of the year. At the time, the empire was facing a military crisis in the east as the Seljuq Turks advanced further into Asia Minor, and the prevailing feeling was that a competent military leader should be emperor. Eudocia, despite having declared that she would never remarry, took the hand of Romanus IV Diogenes on 1 January 1068. Romanus' own rule lasted a little over two and a half years, as he was captured by the Turks at the Battle of Mantzikert in August of 1071. Eudocia was re-established as regent for two months before being coerced into retiring to a convent. Whether this issue dates to her first or second term as regent has been debated, but the former seems more logical. While by no means abundant, the output of this coinage seems too large to be condensed into the short span of her second regency.



1348. Manuel I Comnenus. 1143-1180. AV Hyperpyron (28mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. K̄C RO-H̄Θ̄C̄I, facing bust of Christ Emmanuel / MA/NOV/H̄A Δ̄C̄C̄/ΠO/TH to left, T̄/ Π/OΠ/Φ/VPO/ Γ̄C̄/WH/T/Ω to right, Manuel standing facing, holding labarum in right hand, globus cruciger in left; nine jewels on collar, square ornament below tablion, small cross on chlamys below right arm. DOC 1e.11; SB 1956. EF, light scrape on high point of obverse. Well struck for issue. (\$1000)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Tkalec (8 September 2008), lot 393.



1349. Isaac II Angelus. First reign, 1185-1195. EL Aspron Trachy (30mm, 4.10 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. The Virgin Mary enthroned facing, holding head of the Holy Infant on lap; MP ΘV across upper field / [IC]AAKIOC ΔEC to left, Isaac standing facing, holding cross-tipped scepter in right hand and akakia in left, being crowned by St. Michael the Archangel, holding scepter with tripartite tip in left hand; three jewels on Isaac's collar, O and X/AP above, X/M to lower right. DOC 2a.3; SB 2002. Choice EF, toned with some iridescence. Well struck for issue. (\$750)

Ex Malcom W. Heckman Collection (Triton VIII, 11 January 2005), lot 1458.



1350. Base silver appliqué in repousse. Circa 12th century. Diameter: 30mm, weight: 3.76 g. Facing half-length figure of St. Demetrios, wearing military attire, holding spear in right hand, shield decorated with cross in left. Good VF, traces of gilding, holed four times for attachment. (\$2000)

From the Iconodule Collection.



1351. John III Ducas (Vatatzes). Emperor of Nicaea, 1222-1254. AV Hyperpyron (28mm, 4.48 g, 6h). Magnesia mint. Struck 1232-1254(?). Christ Pantokrator enthroned facing; IC-XC across upper field, cross to left above throne / [Iω] ΔC/CI/OT/H? to left, I/ Π[O]/PΦ/V to right, John standing facing, holding labarum in right hand and akakia in left, being crowned and blessed by the Virgin Mary; MP-ΘV flanking head of Virgin. DOC 4c.1-2 (same obv. die); SB 2073. EF, tiny hole in flan to left of Christ's head, faint graffiti in obverse margin. (\$500)

From the Iconodule Collection.



1352. John III Ducas (Vatatzes). Emperor of Nicaea, 1222-1254. Æ Tetrarteron (20mm, 3.30 g, 6h). Magnesia mint. Facing bust of St. George, holding spear in right hand, shield over left shoulder; monograms flanking / [...] O/ΔϞ/K/A/C, facing bust of John, holding labarum in right hand, akakia in left. DOC 58; SB 2116. VF, thick earthen-green patina. (\$300)

From the Collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex LHS 97 (10 May 2006), lot 133.



1353. Constantine. *Sebastos* and *mystikos*, circa 1250. PB Seal (44mm, 25.71 g, 12h). St. George Kouperiotes, wearing military attire, standing facing, holding spear in right hand, shield in left; ☉ / ΓΕ/ΩΡ/ΓΙ/Ο/Σ to left, Ο / ΚϞ/ΠΕ/ΠΙΩ/ΤΗ/Σ to right / +CΦΡΑΓΙC / CΕΡΑΤΟΥ / ΜΥΣΤΙΚΟΥ / ΚΩΝΣΤΑΝΤΙΝΟΥ / • – across field. Laurent II 128; Zacos Sale I (Spink 127), lot 69 (same dies). Near EF, beige patina, slightly uneven strike. An attractive example, much better than the Zacos specimen. (\$2000)

From the Iconodule Collection.

St. George's epithet links him to the Kouperiotes monastery, the location of which is uncertain.

Strategos, the Greek equivalent of the Latin *augustus*, was an honorific title by the time of Constantine. A *mystikos* was a private secretary to the emperor.



1354. Andronicus II Palaeologus, with Michael IX. 1282-1328. AR Basilikon (19mm, 1.74 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Christ Pantokrator enthroned facing; IC–XC across upper field / A/N/Δ/PON/[I]KO/[C ΔΕ]CΠ to left, Ϟ / ΔΕ/C/ΠΙΟ/T–C / O Π/A to right, Andronicus and Michael standing facing, each raising hand to chest and holding long cross between them. P. Protonotarios, "The silver coinage of the joint reign of Andronicus II and Michael IX (1295-1320)," *NumCirc* LXXX/12 (December 1972), Type II var. (rev. legend); DOC –; LPC p. 66, 5 var. (same); PCPC 133 = SB 2401 var. (cross of pellets to either side of Christ, rev. legend). Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Iconodule Collection.

As noted above, Bendall's specimen (PCPC 133, also the plate coin for SB) has a cross of pellets to either side of Christ. He notes (p. 35) that: "[t]he sigla Ϟ ··· over the throne of the obverse of this specimen had been erased from the die of the previously published coin [i.e., by Protonotarios]." Die scratches where the crosses would have been could point to their erasure on the obverse die used to strike the current coin as well.



1355. Manuel II Palaeologus. 1391-1425. AR Half Stavraton (20mm, 3.75 g, 6h). Constantinople mint. Facing bust of Christ Pantokrator; IC–XC across field / +MANOVHΛ BACIΛEVC OΠAΛEOΛOΓOC, facing bust of Manuel. DOC 1320-4; LPC p. 160, 2; PCPC 334.1, sigla 15; SB 2551. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Iconodule Collection.



1356. temp. Andronicus I Gidon(?). Emperor of Trebizond, 1222-1235. AR Aspron Trachy (24mm, 2.77 g, 6h). The Virgin Mary standing slightly right, *orans*; MP–ΘV across upper field, star to left / Christ Chalkites standing facing; IC–XC across upper field, X/Λ/Α–K/H/H/S (*sic*) downward to left and right. S. Bendall, “A further note on a possible early coinage of the Empire of Trebizond,” *NumCirc* CXIV.4 (August 2006), p. 208, fig. 1 var. (rev. legend correctly spelled); S. Bendall, “An Early Coinage of the ‘Empire’ of Trebizond?,” *NumCirc* CX.3 (June 2002), p. 114, fig. 1 = DOC 1 = SB 2148 var. (star on Virgin’s maphorion, rev. legend correctly spelled). EF. Excellent strike. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.

This coin belongs to a rare issue that is usually attributed to Nicaea, but Bendall’s analyses (op. cit. above) of these coins reveal that they are more likely early issues of Trebizond under Andronicus Gidon. It could possibly be his second issue after a seemingly unique copper trachy with his name and the title “Comnenus”, a family from which he did not hail. The extreme rarity of that issue may indicate that such a claim was not well received.

The icon of Christ Chalkites was highly venerated. It was kept in the vestibule of the imperial palace at Constantinople and may refer to hopes of a reunited Byzantine Empire.

EARLY MEDIEVAL AND ISLAMIC COINAGE



1357. VISIGOTHS, Gaul. Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Late 5th century AD or slightly later. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.38 g, 6h). Imitating a Ravenna mint solidus struck in the name of Valentinian III. Uncertain mint. D N PLA VALENTI NIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right; ☽ above / VICTORI A AVGGG, Valentinian standing facing, holding long cross in right hand and Victory on globe in left, foot on head of human-headed coiled serpent; R-V//COMOB. Cf. RIC X 3712 (for obv., but without symbol above); Depeyrot, *Solidi* 7; Depeyrot –; Ranieri 97 corr. (listed as official mint issue); DOCLR –; Biaggi –; cf. MEC 1, –; G. Nascia FPL 1 (January 1966), no. 4 (same dies, but pellet-in-crescent not struck up); Marc Poncin Collection (CNG 72, 14 June 2006), lot 2232 (example with “M” graffito in obverse field). EF, “E I” graffito across obverse field. (\$750)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich.

In the Name of Anthemius



1358. VISIGOTHS, Gaul. Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Late 5th century AD or slightly later. AV Tremissis (15mm, 1.38 g, 6h). Imitating a Ravenna mint tremissis struck in the name of Anthemius. Uncertain mint. **IN ANTHE MIVS P F AVG**, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / Staurogram within wreath; **COM**. RIC X, p. 227 and 3765; Lacam 144 (attributed to Arles); DOCLR –; Ferrando –; MEC 1, –. Good VF, toned. Extremely rare. (\$1500)

From the D. Fagan Collection, purchased from Freeman & Sear.



1359. VISIGOTHS, Spain. Uncertain king. Circa 507-580. AV Tremissis (16mm, 1.44 g, 6h). In the name of Justinian I. Emerita (Mérida) mint. **IN IUSTIN IANSV P P C**, diademed and draped bust right; ✠ on breast / **VICTOR I AVETINI**, Victory advancing right, holding palm frond over left shoulder and wreath in outstretched right hand; • **ON** in exergue. Tomasini Group JAN 4; cf. Chaves 65 (for type); cf. MEC 1, 201 (same); Kampmann p. 63, bottom (this coin). Choice EF, small “x” graffito in obverse field. (\$1000)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich.

1360. BURGUNDIANS. Gundomar II. 524-532. Æ Nummus (13mm, 0.48 g, 6h). Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Large Christogram within wreath / **MAR** monogram surmounted by small ✠; **S** within the **A**. Heiss, *Wisigothes*, p. 78, 6 and fig. 2 (attributed to Amalric); MEC 1, p. 76. VF, green patina with earthen deposits. Extremely rare. (\$750)



1361. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Mid to Late 4th century AD. AV Solidus (22mm, 4.63 g, 6h). Imitating Treveri (Trier) mint *tricennalia* issue solidus of Constantius II. **D N CONSTAN TIVS P F AVG**, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / **GLORIA REI PVBLICAE**, Roma and Constantinopolis seated on thrones facing one another, holding between them wreath inscribed **VOT/XXX/MVLT/XXXX** in four lines; **TR**. Cf. RIC VIII 340 (for type); cf. Depeyrot 15/3 (same) and 16 note (for imitations of that type). Good VF, minor areas of weak strike. Rare. (\$1500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 72 (12 May 1998), lot 528.

1362. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Mid to Late 4th century AD. Æ (19mm, 3.99 g, 12h). Imitating Lugdunum (Lyon) mint Æ of Magnentius. **D N MHGNEN [TIVS P F AVG]**, bareheaded, draped and cuirassed bust right / **SAL[V]S DD NN HVC ET CHES**, large Christogram; **A** and **ω** flanking; **ILC**. Cf. RIC VIII 154; cf. Bastien 212; cf. LRBC 238 (all refs for prototype). Good VF, brown patina. (\$300)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex William Subjack Collection (Vecchi 14, 5 February 1999), lot 68.



1363. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Mid to Late 4th century AD. AR Siliqua (22mm, 1.56 g, 3h). Imitating Lugdunum (Lyon) mint *quinquennalia* issue siliqua of Julian II. ΓNCL ἸΙΝΙΙΙ DNIN QI A/G, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / VOTIS/V/MLTIS/X in four lines within wreath; TLΞO. Cf. RIC VIII 227; cf. RSC 163†b (both refs for prototype). EF, toned. (\$500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex William Subjack Collection (Vecchi 14, 5 February 1999), lot 69.



1364. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Mid to Late 4th century AD. Æ (19mm, 3.99 g, 12h). Imitating Lugdunum (Lyon) mint Æ of Julian II. D II FD CI IVII IVΞ P I HVG, pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right / ΘΕCΥΛΙΤΗ ΓΠΙΕΙ PVB, bull standing right; two stars above; [O]PLACD. Cf. RIC VIII 238; cf. LRBC 269 (both refs for prototype). Good VF, matte dark green patina. (\$300)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Gorny & Mosch 104 (9 October 2000), lot 86.



1365. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Late 5th century AD or slightly later. AV Tremissis (14mm, 1.37 g, 6h). Imitating a Constantinople mint tremissis struck in the name of Leo I. Uncertain mint. D N LEO PE RPET AVC, pearl-diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed bust right / VICTORIA AVCVSTORVM, Victory standing facing, head left, on globe, holding wreath in outstretched right hand and globus cruciger in left; star to right; CONOB. Cf. RIC X 611 (for prototype); MEC 1, –; cf. Pecunem 9, lot 830; otherwise unpublished. EF, lightly toned, struck with slightly rusty dies. (\$750)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1366. UNCERTAIN GERMANIC TRIBES, Pseudo-Imperial coinage. Early to Mid to 7th century AD. AV Solidus (20mm, 3.45 g, 6h). Imitating a solidus of Heraclius. DN IIERACL IY/ PP AYI, helmeted and cuirassed facing bust, holding cross in right hand / VICTORIA AVS, cross potent set on three steps; H//CONOB. Cf. DOC 3; cf. MIB 5; cf. SB 731 (all refs. for prototype); cf. CNG 61, lot 2236; cf. Jónas 6 (for rev.); Adelson –; otherwise unpublished. EF, a few deposits. Apparently unique. (\$500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.

The Joseph R. Lasser Collection Sold for the Benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation



Ruth and Joe Lasser, 2004.



Joe Lasser and Erik Goldstein take a break from looking at coins to smile, December 2009.

The following selections from the Lasser Collection are being sold according to Joe's explicit wishes. All proceeds from the sale of these coins will be used to acquire additional items for the numismatic collection at Colonial Williamsburg.

Born in New York City, Joe grew up in a huge, family-packed house in New Rochelle, not far from the home of Julius Gutttag, the famed numismatist of the first half of the 20th century. Working for Gutttag in the mid 1930s, Joe got his first taste of numismatics, and formed his first collection, which was sold a few years later to pay for college. While at Lehigh University, where he excelled at everything, including golf, Joe opted to interrupt his education by joining the Army Air Corps shortly after the United States entered WWII. As a bombardier/navigator in both B-26 "Marauders" and A-26 "Invaders," Joe completed 41 missions over Europe with the 391st Bomb Group of the 9th Air Force, and was highly decorated for his service. Once back in the States, he continued his education, started a family with Ruth, his childhood sweetheart, and began a career as a writer for a financial newspaper. Shortly thereafter, Joe changed direction and began what was to become a very successful career as a securities analyst, stockbroker, and portfolio manager.

Joe's childhood fascination with things numismatic resurfaced as his young family matured, and he began to collect the paper money of the colonial period, including the Continental Currency issues of the Revolutionary War period. Always brilliant and inquisitive, it was in this area that Joe made his first significant contribution to numismatics. After painstakingly reading through tens of thousands of pages of Continental Congress papers, Joe assembled the universally accepted list of authorized Continental Currency signers, which appears in Eric Newman's *The Early Paper Money of America*. Shortly thereafter, Joe set out to collect anything and everything that circulated in colonial America, including coins of the world trade. Over the years, the Lasser collection grew in size and scope, and now contains world-class holdings of American colonial material. Areas of great strength include Betts and Indian peace medals, Massachusetts silver coins by die variety, and French, Dutch and Spanish Colonial coins. In the latter category, Joe's collection of Colombian coins formed the basis for his *The Cob Coinage of Colombia* (2000), co-authored with Jorge Restrepo, and now the standard reference on the subject. Other numismatic publications include *The Coins of Colonial America* (1997) in addition to some two-dozen articles appearing in various publications over the past four decades. Further immersing himself into collecting and publishing, he began not only to lend coins and paper money to museum exhibits, but he began giving them to various North American institutions that had a use for them.

Joe never lost sight of how lucky he was, and his unique circumstances allowed him to assemble a collection few could even dream of doing. A lover of numismatics to the core, he was aware of the value of education, and thus his primary focus shifted from the acquisition of material to sharing it with those inside and outside of the numismatic community. After a long and difficult search, and with the support of his family, Joe decided that this unique collection could be best "used," as he put it, by the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Today, the Foundation's multitude of ventures ranging from museum and virtual exhibitions to national educational programs, have found "uses" for the collection that go well beyond what Joe initially imagined. With more than 3600 coins, medals, and pieces of paper money, the Lasser collection at Colonial Williamsburg is truly a national treasure.

Although the vast bulk of his holdings had already been given away, his acquisitive urge remained undiminished. Finding material for the collection at Williamsburg proved ever more difficult, so Joe pursued the origins of the silver penny and began collecting Carolingian coins in 2009.

Predeceased by Ruth, his wife of more than 60 years, in early 2010, Joe passed away on January 17, 2011. They are survived by a wonderful, loving family, including three children and their spouses, nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and countless friends. Joe and Ruth also leave an unparalleled numismatic legacy, destined to continue so that future generations may enjoy and learn about the money and medals of early America. As he was so fond of saying, "we continue to learn and move forward."

Erik Goldstein
Curator of Mechanical Arts and Numismatics
The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation
July 2014



1367. MEROVINGIANS, Uncertain. Circa 710-750. AR Denier (12mm, 0.82 g, 6h). Large **✚ RI**; long bar above / Large **AS**; long bar above. NM p. 170, 13; Belfort 6636; MEC 1, -. VF, find patina. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 January 2010.



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1368. CAROLINGIANS. Pépin 'le Bref' (the Short). King of the Franks, 754/5-768. AR Denier (17mm, 1.24 g, 5h). Sancta Maria (Laon [episcopal]) mint. Large **R • P •**; long bar above / **SCÆ/MRI** in two lines; long bar above. Depeyrot 492 (this coin referenced and illustrated); M&G 13 var. (rev. legend); MEC 1, -. Good VF, toned. Unique. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Alan Davisson, 10 January 2010. Found in the département de l'Aisne, Picardy.

1369. CAROLINGIANS. Pépin 'le Bref' (the Short). King of the Franks, 754/5-768. AR Denier (15mm, 1.04 g, 7h). Ec[lessia] Sen[ones] (Sens) mint. Large **R P •**; long bar above / **EC[LESSIA] SEN[ONES]** in two lines; long bar between. Depeyrot -; M&G -; Prou -; Gariel -; MEC 1, -. VF, find patina, porous. Unpublished in the standard references. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 105 (12 June 2010), lot 378.



1370. CAROLINGIANS. Carloman. As King of Italy 877-879. AR Denier (21mm, 1.57 g, 3h). Arela(te) mint. **✚ CARLEIIAIVS PE**, cross pattée / **✚ ARIIA CIVIZ ✚**, **CAROLVZ** monogram. Depeyrot 67; M&G 1208; MEC 1, -. VF, darkly toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 459.

Sixteen Different Charlemagnes



1371. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (18mm, 1.21 g, 11h). Class 2. "Ardis" (Uncertain Provençal) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **AR/DIS** in two lines; ✚ between. Cf. Coupland, *Charlemagne*, p. 216; cf. Depeyrot 56 (Arles); cf. M&G 238 (Indeterminate Mints); cf. MEC I, 722 (Arles?). Good VF, traces of find patina. Very rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from James F. Elmen, 22 July 2009.

In 755 under Pepin I, the Carolingian currency system was reformed. In addition to reducing the number of mints that had existed previously under the Merovingians, this reform strengthened royal authority over the minting of coins and, most especially, established uniformities of weight, fineness, and design. It also established a set relationship between the Carolingian silver denier, which had become the main denomination, and the fictional denominations of account – the shilling and the gold solidus – that were employed to handle larger sums. Under Charlemagne, this reform was implemented fully and expanded to meet the needs of his ever-increasing empire. Initially, Charlemagne's deniers followed the weight and general type of Pepin I. As new sources of silver were discovered, and as Charlemagne acquired more power and territory, he issued new, heavier deniers of differing types, some of which continued under his successors. One of these was the cross pattee / monogram type. Under each successive ruler, the type would be continued with only the monogram being changed to fit the name of the new ruler. Under Charlemagne's successor, Louis I 'le Pieux', a new type, the XPISTIANA RELIGIO, was introduced and featured a temple facade on the reverse. A third type was that with the obverse legend, which originally had the name of the emperor, now replaced with the phrase GRATIA D-I REX, along with the monogram on the obverse, and a cross pattee with the mint name on the reverse. These last two types became so popular that early feudal issuers copied them for their own coinage, long after the Carolingian rulers themselves were gone. Known as immobilized types, the Carolingian denier (and its fraction, the obole) continued as a denominational type throughout western Europe in the form of the denar, denaro, and even the English penny (notated as d. in accounting) for most of the Middle Ages until the introduction of the larger gros in the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries.



1372. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Obol (16mm, 0.85 g, 11h). Class 2. "Ardis" (Uncertain Provençal) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **AR/DIS** in two lines. Cf. Coupland, *Charlemagne*, p. 216; cf. Depeyrot 56 (denier; Arles); cf. M&G 237 (denier; Indeterminate Mints); cf. Prou 887 (denier; Indeterminate Mints); MEC I, -. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 27 May 2010.



1373. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (17mm, 1.15 g, 12h). Class 2. [Dore]stat[us] (Dorestad) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **ΩΩΩ/STHT** in two lines; ax below. Coupland, *Charlemagne* 3; Depeyrot 410; M&G 699; MEC I, 724. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$5000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 434.



1374. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (17mm, 0.98 g, 9h). Class 2. Lem[ovacium] (Limoges) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CAROLV•S•** in two lines; • in center / **LEM** across field; ■ and • above, •• below. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 502; M&G 260; MEC 1, 725. VF, toned, minor porosity, struck on a slightly ragged flan. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Maison Palombo (6 May 2006), lot 150.



1375. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (17mm, 1.19 g, 10h). Class 2. Lugdunum (Lyon) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CAROLV•S•** in two lines / **LUGDUN** in two lines; • between, ••• below. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 520; M&G 165; cf. MEC 1, 726 (for type). Good VF, toned, some porosity. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Jean Elsen, 30 September 2009. Ex Crinon-Alde 38 (18 June 2009), lot 80.

Two Very Rare Uniface Charlemagne Obols



1376. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Obol (15mm, 0.62 g). Class 2. Medolus (Melle) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **MEDOLVS** around central ornament / Incuse of obverse. Schiesser Type A; Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 602; M&G –; MEC 1, –. VF, toned, area of weak strike, struck on a slightly ragged flan. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 14 May 2010.

1377. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (15mm, 0.56 g). Class 2. Medolus (Melle) mint. Struck 771-793/4. Retrograde **BEPVPLV** around central ornament / Incuse of obverse. Schiesser Type B; Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 603 corr. (legend; same dies as illustration = Prou 679); cf. M&G 268 (for type); MEC 1, –. VF, some porosity. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 103 (12 December 2009), lot 519.

Choice Charlemagne Denier



1378. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (18mm, 1.34 g, 3h). Class 2. Medolus (Melle) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **MEOLOVS** around central ornament. Coupland, *Charlemagne* 4; Depeyrot 605; M&G 268 corr. (rev. legend); MEC I, 727. EF, toned. Well centered on a broad flan and of excellent metal. Rare. (\$5000)



1379. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (18mm, 1.26 g, 6h). Class 2. Medolus (Melle) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **MEOLOVS** around central ornament. Coupland, *Charlemagne* 4; Depeyrot 605; M&G 268 corr. (rev. legend); MEC I, 727. VF, toned, some porosity. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 101 (12 September 2009), lot 342.

Extremely Rare Charlemagne Denier from Namur



1380. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (18mm, 1.04 g, 10h). Class 2. Namucum (Namur) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CARO/LVS** in two lines / **ANAMV** in two lines separated by bar. Unpublished. Good VF, toned. One of two known (the other in a private collection). (\$5000)

Ex Crinon-Alde (12 June 2012), lot 452; found at Monchel-sur-Canche.



1381. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (17mm, 1.14 g, 11h). Class 2. Sancti Firm[i]ni (Saint-Firmin [Amiens]) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CAROLVS** in two lines / **SCI/FIRM/III** (triskeles) in three lines; bar above. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 37; M&G 125; MEC 1, –. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$5000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from James F. Elmen, 22 July 2009. Ex Fürstenberg Collection (Cahn 79, 14 December 1932), lot 1210.



1382. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (18mm, 1.33 g, 12h). Class 2. Stratsburg (Strassburg) mint. Struck 771-793/4. **CAROLVS** in two lines; • between / **STRATBURG** around central cross. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 954; M&G 97; MEC 1, –. VF, toned, slightly ragged flan, thin along edge. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 24 April 2010.

1383. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (21mm, 1.47 g, 10h). Class 3. Mediolanum (Milan) mint. Struck 793/4-812. ✠ **CARLVS REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **MEDIOL**, **CAROLVS** monogram. Coupland, *Charlemagne* 16; Depeyrot 662F; M&G 212; MEC 1, 743. Good VF, find patina. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 10 November 2009.



1384. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (21mm, 1.37 g, 11h). Class 3. Narbona (Narbonne) mint. Struck 793/4-812. ✠ **CARLVS REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **NARBONNA**, **CAROLVS** monogram. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 689; M&G 185; MEC 1, –. VF, toned. (\$2000)

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1385. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (21mm, 1.49 g, 9h). Class 3. Papia (Pavia) mint. Struck 793/4-812. ✠ **CARLVS REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **P•APIA**, **CAROLVS** monogram. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 780E; M&G 208; MEC 1, 744. Good VF, toned. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Künker 175 (28 September 2010), lot 2156.



1386. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (21mm, 1.62 g, 12h). Class 3. Papia (Pavia) mint. Struck 793/4-812. ✠ **CARLVS REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **P•APIA, CAROLVS** monogram. Coupland, *Charlemagne* –; Depeyrot 780E; M&G 208; MEC 1, 744. Good VF, toned, some light cleaning scratches on reverse. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, Webb 88 (29 September 2010), lot 1356.



1387. CAROLINGIANS. Charlemagne (Charles the Great). As Charles I, King of the Franks, 768-814. AR Denier (21mm, 1.35 g, 9h). Class 3. Tolusa (Toulouse) mint. Struck circa 840-864. ✠ **CARLVZ REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **TOLV•H, CAROLVS** monogram. Coupland, *Charlemagne* 7b; Depeyrot 993; M&G 181; MEC 1, –. VF, toned, minor roughness. (\$2000)

From the Michael Joffre Collection, purchased from Claude Burgan, 2002.

Two Portrait Deniers of Louis the Pious



1388. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.52 g, 10h). Class 1. Arelatum (Arles) mint. Struck 814-819. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP AVG**, laureate and draped bust right / ✠ **ARELATVM**, two-towered city gate. Coupland, *Money*, Class I, 1; Depeyrot 59; M&G 437; MEC 1, –. VF, toned, some scrapes and peck marks under tone, flan a little wavy. Very rare. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 27 May 2010.

1389. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.77 g, 1h). Class 1. Metallum (Melle) mint. Struck 814-819. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP AVG**, laureate and draped bust right / ✠ **METALLVM**, obverse and reverse dies; mallet to right and left. Cf. Coupland, *Money*, Class I, 3 (obol); Depeyrot 607; M&G 396; MEC 1, 758. VF, toned. Rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 103 (12 December 2009), lot 520.

City Mints of Louis the Pious

Arles Mint



1390. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (22mm, 1.69 g, 3h). Class 2. Arelatum (Arles) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée / **AREL/ATVM** in two lines; • between. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 61; M&G 439; MEC 1, 765. Good VF, toned. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffre Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 64 (24 September 2003), lot 1410.

Bourges Mint



1391. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.78 g, 8h). Class 2. Bituriges (Bourges) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée / **BITV/RIGES** in two lines; • between. Coupland, *Money*, –; Depeyrot 177; M&G 410; MEC 1, 766-767. Near EF, toned. (\$750)

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Bourges as Aquitania Mint



1392. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.81 g, 5h). Class 2. Aquitania (Bourges) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée / **AQU/TANIA** in two lines; ✠ above and below. Coupland, *Money*, –; Depeyrot 178; M&G 390; MEC 1, 763-764. Near EF, toned. (\$1000)

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1393. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.78 g, 2h). Class 2. Aquitania (Bourges) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **AQVI/TANIA** in two lines; • between, ✠ above and below. Coupland, *Money*, –; Depeyrot 178; M&G 390; MEC 1, 763-764. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

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1394. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Louis I, King of Aquitaine, 781-814. AR Obol (17mm, 0.83 g, 2h). Class 2. Aquitania (Bourges) mint. Struck 819-822. **LVDO/VVIC** in two lines / ✠ **AQVI** ✠ **TANIA**, cross pattée. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 183; M&G 385; MEC 1, –, VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 5 April 2010.

Melle Mint



1395. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.73 g, 12h). Class 2. Metallum (Melle) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **META/LLVM** in two lines; • between. Cf. Coupland, *Money*, Class II, 3 (for type); Depeyrot 609; M&G 389; cf. MEC 1, 774-776 (same). Good VF, toned. (\$500)

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Narbonne Mint



1396. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.38 g, 12h). Class 2. Narbona (Narbonne) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **NAR/BONA** in two lines; • between. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 690 var. (obv. legend); M&G 430 var. (same); MEC 1, 779 var. (same). VF, toned. Rare. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 438; Hess-Divo 302 (27 October 2005), lot 35.

Palace Mint



1397. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.75 g, 10h). Class 2. Palatina (Palace) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDOVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **PALA/TINA MO/NETA** in three lines. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 743; M&G 320; MEC 1, 780. Near EF, iridescent toning. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.

Paris Mint



1398. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.86 g, 4h). Class 2. Parisii (Paris) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDOVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **PARISI** across field. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 759; M&G 361; MEC 1, 781. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 10 November 2009.

Tours Mint



1399. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (22mm, 1.66 g, 5h). Class 2. Turones (Tours) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDOVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / **TVRO/NES** in two lines; • between. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 1036; M&G 371 var. (pellet at end of rev. legend); MEC 1, 785. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection, purchased from Andy Singer, 2004.

Venice Mint



1400. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.17 g, 11h). Class 2. Venecias (Venice) mint. Struck 819-822. ✠ **HLVDOVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée / ✠ **VEN/ECIAS** in two lines. Coupland, *Money* –; Depeyrot 1116D; M&G 456; MEC 1, 789. Near EF, lightly toned. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 11 December 2009.

The Introduction of the Temple Denier XPISTIANA RELIGIO



1401. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.70 g, 1h). Class 3. Unspecified (Milan?) mint. Struck 822-840. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **XPISTIANA RELIGIO**, temple façade. Coupland, *Money*, Group F, 3; Depeyrot 1179; M&G 472; MEC 1, 792 (Pavia). Near EF, toned. Excellent metal. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 10 March 2010.

1402. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.55 g, 8h). Class 3. Unspecified (Milan?) mint. Struck 822-840. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **XPISTIANA RELIGIO**, temple façade. Cf. Coupland, *Money*, Group F; Depeyrot 1179; M&G 472; cf. MEC 1, 793 (for type). Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 446.



1403. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.47 g, 8h). Class 3. Unspecified (Orléans) mint. Struck 822-840. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **XPISTIANA RELIGIO**, temple façade. Coupland, *Money*, Group E, 3; Depeyrot 1179; M&G 472; cf. MEC 1, 794 and 800 (for type). Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 August 2009.

1404. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (21mm, 1.46 g, 11h). Class 3. Unspecified (Trier?) mint. Struck 822-840. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **XPISTIANA RELIGIO**, temple façade. Cf. Coupland, *Money*, Group D, 1 (Trier); Depeyrot 1179; M&G 472; cf. MEC 1, 794 and 800 (for type). EF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 442.



1405. CAROLINGIANS. Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Obol (16mm, 0.47 g, 12h). Class 3. Unspecified mint. Struck 822-840. ✠ **HLVDVVICVS IIP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **XPISTIANA RELIGIO**, temple façade. Cf. Coupland, *Money*, Group D; Depeyrot 1180; M&G 473; MEC 1, 809. VF, toned. (\$300)

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1406. CAROLINGIANS. Pepin I. King of Aquitaine, 817-838. AR Obol (18mm, 0.83 g, 1h). Metallum (Melle) mint. **PIPPHVS R** monogram / ✠ **METVULO**, cross pattée. Coupland, *Pippin* –; Depeyrot 618; M&G 608; MEC 1, 815. VF, toned. (\$300)

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1407. CAROLINGIANS. Pepin II. King of Aquitaine, 839-865. AR Obol (17mm, 0.86 g, 6h). Aquitania (Bourges) mint. ✠ **PIPPHVS REX**, cross pattée / **AQVI/TAHIA** in two lines. Cf. Coupland, *Pippin*, pl. XX, 14 (for type); Depeyrot 186B; M&G 604; MEC 1, 813var. (rev. legend). Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Michael Joffre Collection. Ex Marshall Faintich Collection.

1408. CAROLINGIANS. Pepin II. King of Aquitaine, 839-865. AR Denier (21mm, 1.53 g, 4h). Tolosa (Toulouse) mint. ✠ **PIPPHVS REX F**, cross pattée / ✠ **TOLOSA CIVI, PIPPIHVS** monogram. Coupland, *Pippin* –; Depeyrot 999; M&G 618; MEC 1, 816. VF, toned. (\$300)

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1409. CAROLINGIANS. Lothaire I. As Emperor, 840-855. AR Denier (21mm, 1.41 g, 3h). Papia (Pavia) mint. ✠ **HIOFHARIUS III P AV**, cross pattée / **PAPIA** across field. Coupland, *Lothar*, pl. 37, 34; Depeyrot 780J; M&G 556 = Hannover Inv. 1929.81; MEC 1, 822. VF, toned, flaws on reverse. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 450.



1410. CAROLINGIANS. Louis le Germanique (the German). King of East Francia (Germany), 840-876. AR Denier (21mm, 1.65 g, 7h). Mettis (Metz) mint. ✠ **GRATIA D- REX, LUDOVVICVS** around pierced cross pattée / ✠ **METTIS CIVITAS**, cross pattée; double pellets in quarters. Depeyrot 648; M&G 1241 var. (rev. legend); MEC 1, –. VF, mottled tone, slight loss of metal on edge. Very rare. (\$1500)

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1411. CAROLINGIANS. Louis. As Louis III, King of West Francia, 879-882. AR Denier (21mm, 1.71 g, 8h). Turones (Tours) mint. ✠ MISERECORDIA DNI REX, HLVDVVICVS monogram / ✠ TYRONES CIVITAS, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1041; M&G 1255; MEC 1, 967. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

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1412. CAROLINGIANS. Louis. As Louis III, King of West Francia, 879-882. AR Denier (20mm, 1.76 g, 2h). Turones (Tours) mint. ✠ MISERICORDIA DNI REX, HLVDVVICVS monogram / ✠ TYRONES CIVITAS, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1041; M&G 1256; MEC 1, 967 var. (legends). EF, attractive deep toning. Rare. (\$1000)

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1413. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier à la porte (19mm, 1.59 g, 4h). Class 1. Aurelianis (Orléans) mint. Struck 840-864. ✠ CARLVS REX FR, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / AVRE LI ANI, two-towered city-gate façade with post-and-lintel entry; pellets to left and right; below, long bar above ✠. Depeyrot 725; M&G 944 = Bibliothèque Royale, Brussels Inv. 109 (same rev. die); MEC 1, 835 var. (rev. legend). Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Review 27 (Summer 2002), no. 101.



1414. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (19mm, 1.27 g, 8h). Class 2. Ambianis (Amiens) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ GRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS monogram / ✠ AMBIANIS CIVI, cross pattée. Depeyrot 30; M&G 758 var. (obv. legend); MEC 1, -. Good VF, toned, small areas of flat strike. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Jean Elsen, 30 September 2009.

1415. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.76 g, 1h). Class 2. Atrebas (Arras) mint. Struck 864-877 and later. ✠ GRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS monogram / ✠ ATREBAS CIVI, cross pattée. Depeyrot 81; M&G 744-745 var. (no • after B); MEC 1, -. Good VF, toned, a bit softly struck. Rare mint. (\$300)

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1416. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Obol (15mm, 0.54 g, 9h). Class 2. Blesianiscastro (Blois) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **BLESIANISCASTRO**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 161; M&G 924; MEC 1, -. VF, toned, areas of flat strike. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 333; Künker 105 (27 September 2005), lot 1849.

1417. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.53 g, 3h). Class 2. Curtisasonien (Courcessin or Courgeon) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **ICURTISASONIEH**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 375 (Courgeon); M&G 895 ("Curtisassonien"); MEC 1, 860-864 (Courcessin). Near EF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from James F. Elmen, 22 July 2009.

Very Rare Liège Denier



1418. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (19mm, 1.64 g, 8h). Class 2. Tunieras (Liège) mint. Struck 864-877 and later. ✠ **CRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **TUNIERAS CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 501A; M&G 1148; MEC 1, -. EF, toned. Very rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 104 (13 March 2010), lot 304.



1419. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.85 g, 12h). Class 2. Cinomanis (Le Mans) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX, KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **CINOMANIS CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 559; M&G 905; MEC 1, 872-874. EF, toned. (\$300)

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1420. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Obol (16mm, 0.59 g, 11h). Class 2. Metallum (Melle) mint. Struck 864-877. **KAROLVS** monogram; ✠ to lower left / ✠ **METVLLO**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 625; M&G 1061; MEC 1, 934 var. (no cross on obv.). Good VF, deeply toned. Well struck. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 5 April 2010.

1421. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.56 g, 11h). Class 2. Palatina Mon[eta] (Palace) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA D-~~I~~ REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **PALATINA MON**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 750; M&G 631 var. (rev. legend); MEC 1, 884 var. (same); Comptoire Général Financier Monnaies 54, lot 3 (same rev. die, but in a later die state). EF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 454.



1422. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.54 g, 8h). Class 2. S[an]c[t]i Dionysii (St. Denis) mint. Struck 864-877 and later. ✠ **GRATIA D-~~I~~ REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **SCI DIONYSII M**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 896; M&G 843; MEC 1, 897. EF, toned. (\$300)

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From Charles the Bald to Charles the Fat

1423. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Emperor Charles II, 875-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.49 g, 3h). Class 3. Cavnonis (Chalon-sur-Saône) mint. Struck 876-7. ✠ **IIICAIIVS IIIPEP**, cross pattée / ✠ **CAVNONIS CIVIZ**, **KAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 262; M&G 1474 (Late Ninth-Century Issues in the Name of an Emperor Charles); MEC 1, —. Good VF, toned. (\$400)

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1424. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Emperor Charles II, 875-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.67 g, 9h). Class 3. Cavnonis (Chalon-sur-Saône) mint. Struck 876-7. ✠ **IIICAIIVS IIIPEP**, cross pattée / ✠ **CAVNONIS CIVIZ**, **KAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 263; M&G 1476 (Late Ninth-Century Issues in the Name of an Emperor Charles); MEC 1, —. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Crinon-Alde 51 (14 June 2010), lot 70.



1425. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald) or Charles le Gros (the Fat). As Emperor Charles II, 875-877, or Emperor Charles III, 881-888. AR Denier (21mm, 1.42 g, 8h). Arela[te] (Arles) mint. ✠ **CARLVS INERAT**, cross pattée / ✠ **ARLEV CIAIS** ✠, **CAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 65; M&G 1506 (Late Ninth-Century Issues in the Name of an Emperor Charles); cf. MEC 1, 910-12 (for type; Charles the Bald). Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 460 (there as Charles the Fat).



1426. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald) or Charles le Gros (the Fat). As Emperor Charles II, 875-877, or Emperor Charles III, 881-888. AR Denier (21mm, 1.62 g, 9h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ **CARLVS IMP AVC**; bar above **M** and second **V**, cross pattée / ✠ **BITVRICES CIVI**, **CAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 198 (Charles the Bald); M&G 1485 (Late Ninth-Century Issues in the Name of an Emperor Charles); MEC 1, 914 (Charles the Bald). VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 10 November 2010.

1427. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Chauve (the Bald) or Charles le Gros (the Fat). As Emperor Charles II, 875-877, or Emperor Charles III, 881-888. AR Denier (20mm, 1.68 g, 2h). Nivernis (Nevers) mint. ✠ **CARLVS IMP AVC**; ▴ above **M**, cross pattée / ✠ **NIVERNIS CIVIT**, **CAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 701 (Charles the Bald); M&G 1464 (Late Ninth-Century Issues in the Name of an Emperor Charles); MEC 1, 919 (Charles the Bald). VF, toned. (\$300)

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1428. CAROLINGIANS. Louis le Bègue (the Stammerer). As Louis II, King of West Francia, 877-879. AR Denier (19mm, 1.52 g, 9h). Vico Viosato (Vise) mint. ✠ **HLVDONVICVS REX**, **CAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **IN VICO VIOSATO**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1155; M&G 1227; MEC 1, -. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$3000)

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1429. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Gros (the Fat). As Emperor Charles III, 881-887. AR Denier (32mm, 1.51 g, 9h). Unspecified (Milan?) mint. ✠ **KAROLVS IMP**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **PISTIANA REICIO**, temple façade. Depeyrot 1196B; M&G 1531/530 (obv./rev.; Uncertain Mints); MEC 1, 1012 (assigned to Milan); cf. CNI V 6-8 (for type). VF, toned, flan crack. Fragile. (\$750)

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1430. CAROLINGIANS. Boso. King of Lower Burgundy (Provence), 879-887. AR Denier (20mm, 1.14 g, 2h). Vienna (Vienne) mint. ✠ **BOSO GRACIAEI**, large **RE** ✠ / ✠ **VIENNA CIVIS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1142 var. (obv. legend); M&G 1262 var. (same); MEC 1, -. VF, toned, edge chip. Very rare. (\$750)

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1431. CAROLINGIANS. Odo (Eudes). King of West Francia, 887-898. AR Denier (19mm, 1.56 g, 5h). Blesianiscastro (Blois) mint. ✠ **MISERECORDIA DEI**, **ODO REX** monogram / ✠ **BLESIANISCASTR**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 163; M&G 1311; MEC 1, 980. Near EF, toned. (\$300)

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1432. CAROLINGIANS. Odo (Eudes). King of West Francia, 887-898. AR Denier (24mm, 1.75 g, 5h). Limovicas (Limoges) mint. ✠ **GRATIA DEI RE**, ✠/◇◇◇/✠ in three lines / ✠ **LIMOVICAS CIVIS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 511; M&G 1332; MEC 1, 973. Good VF, toned, struck on a broad flan. (\$300)

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1433. CAROLINGIANS. Odo (Eudes). King of West Francia, 887-898. AR Denier (20mm, 2.33 g, 10h). Turones (Tours) mint. ✠ MISERECORDIA DH, ✠ ODO REX monogram / ✠ HTVRONES CIVITAS, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1043; M&G 1304; MEC 1, 983. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

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1434. CAROLINGIANS. Louis l'Aveugle (the Blind). As Emperor Louis III, 901-905. AR Denier (21mm, 1.38 g, 6h). Unspecified (Milan?) mint. ✠ HINDOVVICVI IMP, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ IIIPIAHIA DIICO, temple façade. Depeyrot 991; M&G 1576a; Gariel pl. LXIII, 4; cf. MEC 1, 1007 (Louis II; for type). Good VF, toned, slight loss of metal along edge. Very rare. (\$500)

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1435. CAROLINGIANS. Arnol de Carinthia. As King of East Francia (Germany), 887-899. AR Denier (23mm, 1.97 g, 9h). Moconciae (Mainz) mint. [✠ ARNO]HDV [REX], cross pattée; pellets in quarters / [✠ MOCONC]IAE CIVIT, temple façade. Depeyrot 584; M&G 1533; MEC 1, 826-7. VF, darkly toned, areas of typical flat strike. (\$300)

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1436. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Simple (the Simple). As Charles IV, King of West Francia, 898-922. AR Denier (20mm, 1.65 g, 6h). Belgevagus (Beauvais) mint. ✠ CAROLVS REX FRAN, cross pattée / ✠ BELGEVAGVS CIVI, CAROLVS monogram. Depeyrot 136 (Charles the Bald); M&G 1375 (Charles the Simple); cf. MEC 1, 991 (for monogram). Near EF, toned. (\$300)

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1437. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Simple (the Simple). As Charles IV, King of West Francia, 898-922. AR Denier (21mm, 1.68 g, 11h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ CRATIA DEI REX, CAROLVS monogram / ✠ BITVRICES CIVIT, cross. Cf. Depeyrot 202 (Odo; for type); cf. M&G 1328 (same); Prou 749 var. (obv. legend); MEC 1, –; Künker 165 (8 March 2010), lot 82. VF, toned, traces of hard green deposits. Extremely rare. (\$200)

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1438. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Simple (the Simple). As Charles IV, King of West Francia, 898-922. AR Denier (22mm, 1.33 g, 6h). Arcentina (Strasbourg) mint. ✠ KAROLVS DIVS RE ✠, cross pattée / ARGENTI/HA CIVITS in two lines; • between. Depeyrot 959 var. (rev. legend); cf. M&G 1348 (for type); cf. MEC 1, 1000 (same). Good VF, toned, traces of ghosting in reverse. Rare. (\$750)

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1439. CAROLINGIANS. Charles le Simple (the Simple). As Charles IV, King of West Francia, 898-922. AR Denier (21mm, 1.25 g, 12h). Unspecified mint. ✠ CARLVS RE ✠, cross pattée / ✠ RIALIA RI IO, CAROLVS monogram. Depeyrot 1197 var. (placement of cross and monogram); cf. M&G 1437 (for type); MEC 1, —. Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

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Very Rare Chinon et Tours Mint



1440. CAROLINGIANS. temp. Charles le Simple (the Simple). As Charles IV, King of West Francia, 898-922. AR Denier (20mm, 1.36 g, 2h). Cainon Casitro/Turones (Chinon et Tours) mint. ✠ CAINON CASITRO, KAROLVS monogram / ✠ TYRONES CIVITAS, cross pattée. Depeyrot 321; M&G —; Gariel pl. XLIX, 4; MEC 1, —; Duplessy, *Féodales*, 413; Poey d'Avant 1668. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$1000)

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1441. CAROLINGIANS. Louis l'Enfant (the Child). King of East Francia (Germany), 899-911. AR Denier (21mm, 1.24 g, 2h). Arcentina (Strasbourg) mint. ✠ HLVDONVICVS PIVS, cross pattée / ARGENTI/HA CIVITAS in two lines; • between. Depeyrot 961; M&G 1550; MEC 1, 831. Good VF, toned, slight loss of metal along edge. Rare. (\$750)

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1442. CAROLINGIANS. Louis l'Enfant (the Child). King of East Francia (Germany), 899-911. AR Obol (15mm, 0.58 g, 3h). Tullo (Toul) mint. ✠ **LVDONVICVS** ✠, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / **TULLO** across field. Depeyrot 991; M&G 1568; MEC 1, -. VF, toned. Rare. (\$750)

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1443. CAROLINGIANS. temp. Robert I. King of West Francia, 922-923. AR Denier (19mm, 1.19 g, 11h). Turon/Cainoni Castro (Chinon et Tours) mint. **TURON**, diademed and mantled bust right / ✠ **CAINO[NI] C[ASTRO]**, cross pattée. Crinon, *Catalogue*, Group 1, Series 1, Variety 1, p. 73; Poey d'Avant 1670 = Fécamp pl. XIV = Crinon, "À propos de deniers inédits de Blois (Xe siècle): le monnayage à la tête dans les domaines de Thibaud de Tours et Thibaud Ier (durant les deux premiers tiers du Xe s.)," *BSFN* 48.1 (January 1993), p. 469. Good VF, darkly toned, areas of typical flat strike. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 105 (12 June 2010), lot 391.



1444. CAROLINGIANS. Raoul. King of West Francia, 923-936. AR Denier (20mm, 1.10 g, 8h). Parisi (Paris) mint. ✠ **GRATIA DI REX**, **RUDOLFVS** monogram / **PARISI/CIVITA** in two lines; bar between, ✠ above and below. Depeyrot 774; Dumas, *Raoul*, 24; M&G 1582; MEC 1, -. VF, toned, areas of weak strike in legends. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 103 (12 December 2009), lot 539.

1445. CAROLINGIANS. Raoul. King of West Francia, 923-936. AR Denier (20mm, 1.27 g, 1h). Posthumous issue. Castis Landni (Château Landon) mint. ✠ **GRATIA D[omi]ni**, **RUDOLFVS** monogram / ✠ **CASTIS LANDNI**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 308B; Dumas, *Raoul*, 47; M&G -; MEC 1, -. VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Jean Elsen, 30 September 2009. Ex Crinon-Alde 38 (18 June 2009), lot 202.



1446. CAROLINGIANS. Raoul. King of West Francia, 923-936. AR Denier (20mm, 1.23 g, 4h). Posthumous issue. Aurelanis (Orléans) mint. ✠ **GRATIA D[omi]ni REX**, **RUDOLFVS** monogram / ✠ **AVRELIANIS CIVITA**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 733; Dumas, *Raoul*, 45; M&G 1598 var. (rev. legend); MEC 1, 1003. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 11 December 2009.



1447. CAROLINGIANS. Louis d'Outremer or Louis le Fainéant (the Lazy). As Louis IV, King of West Francia, 936-954, or as Louis V, King of West Francia, 986-987. AR Denier (21mm, 1.15 g, 2h). Linconis (Langres) mint. ✠ **ILVD[OVVIC[VS]**, **R** monogram / ✠ **LINCONIS CVTS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 474 (Louis IV); M&G 1636 (Louis IV or Louis V); MEC 1, 1004. VF, toned, typical areas of weak strike. Rare. (\$500)

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1448. CAROLINGIANS. Louis d'Outremer or Louis le Fainéant (the Lazy). As Louis IV, King of West Francia, 936-954, or as Louis V, King of West Francia, 986-987. AR Denier (20mm, 1.47 g, 3h). Virduni (Verdun) mint. ✠ **LV[DOVVICVS]** around **RE** / ✠ **VIRDVNI CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 1136 (Louis IV); M&G 1621 (Louis IV or Louis V); MEC 1, -. VF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 103 (12 December 2009), lot 538.

Extremely Rare Denier of Hughes le Grand Ex de Witt, Prieur, Bordeaux, and Meyer



1449. CAROLINGIANS. Hughes le Grand. Duke of the Franks and Count of Paris, 923-956. AR Denier (20mm, 1.30 g, 2h). Silvanectis (Senlis) mint. ✠ **GRATIA D[OMINI] RE**, ✠ **HVILIO DV** around ✠ / **SNVA/ECTIS** in two lines; bar between, ✠ above and below. C. Prieur and É. Pourcherol, "Numismatique Française: Monnaies Capétiennes," *Arethuse* 16 (July 1927), p. XXXIX (this coin referenced); Duplessy, *Féodales*, 6; Legros 44; Poey d'Avant 25 and pl. I, 14. Good VF, toned. Extremely rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 20 March 2010. Ex Prof. G. W. de Wit Collection (Künker 121, 12 March 2007), lot 246 (purchased from Jean Vinchon, 1978); Charles Prieur Collection; Bordeaux Collection; Henri Meyer Collection (Rollin & Feuadent, 26 May 1902), lot 551.

This extremely rare type was traditionally given to the first issue of Hugh Capet, but Legros persuasively argued that it actually belongs under Hughes le Grand.



1450. CAROLINGIANS. Conrad le Pacific (the Peaceful). King of Burgundy, 937-993. AR Denier (21mm, 1.08 g, 1h). Lucdunus (Lyon) mint. ✠ **CONRADVS**, cross pattée / ✠ **LVCDVNVS**, tower surmounted by cross. Depeyrot 531; M&G 1683; MEC 1, –; Duplessy, *Féodales*, 2525; Poey d'Avant 5013 and pl. CXII, 21. Good VF, toned. (\$200)

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1451. CAROLINGIANS. Lothaire. King of West Francia, 954-987. AR Obol (16mm, 0.53 g, 4h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ **LOTARIUS REX**, cross pattée / ✠ **BITVRICES CIVIS**, temple façade. Depeyrot 209; M&G 1673; Gariel pl. LVII, 10; MEC 1, –, VF, toned, minor porosity. (\$300)

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1452. CAROLINGIANS. Lothaire. King of West Francia, 954-987. AR Denier (21mm, 1.20 g, 1h). Caviion (Chalon-sur-Saône) mint. ✠ **LOTARIUS • REX**, large B / ✠ **CAVILON • CIVT**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 268; M&G 1663; MEC 1, 1005. VF, toned. (\$500)

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1453. CAROLINGIANS. Rudolf III. King of Burgundy, 993-1032. AR Denier (20mm, 1.28 g, 2h). Lucdunus (Lyon) mint. ✠ **RODVLFS**, cross pattée / ✠ **LVCDVNVS**, temple façade. Depeyrot 536; M&G –; MEC 1, –; Duplessy, *Féodales*, 2528; Poey d'Avant 5017 and pl. CXII, 12. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

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1454. CAROLINGIANS. Lot of six (6) AR Deniers. Lot includes the following: (a) Louis 'le Pieux' (the Pious). As Emperor Louis I, 814-840. AR Denier (20mm, 1.55 g, 12h). Class 2 var. Metallum (Melle) mint. Struck circa 819-822. ✠ **HLUODOVICVS IIIP**, cross pattée / ✠ **METALLVM**, cross pattée. Coupland, *Money*, p. 33; Depeyrot 611; M&G 400; MEC 1, 762 // (b) Lothaire I. As Emperor, 840-855. AR Denier (21mm, 1.56 g, 6h). Dorestatus (Dorestad) mint. Struck circa 840-850. ✠ **LOTARIVS IP IE IPAT**, cross pattée; pellet in each quarter / ✠ **DORESTATVS MOII**, temple façade. Coupland, *Lothar* 19; Depeyrot 419; M&G -; MEC 1, -; Haertle 50/824-5 // (c) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.11 g, 12h). Class 2. Cinomanis (Le Mans) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **CINOMANIS CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 559; cf. M&G 910 (for type); cf. MEC 1, 872-874 (same) // (d) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.61 g, 8h). Class 2. Aurelianis (Orléans) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **A(VR)ELI(ANN)IS CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 727; M&G 948; cf. MEC 1, 881 (for type) // (e) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (20mm, 1.57 g, 12h). Class 2. Parisii (Paris) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **PARISII CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 763; M&G 833; cf. MEC 1, 885 (for type) // (f) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.43 g, 10h). Class 2. Hredonis (Rennes) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **HREDONIS CIVITAS**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 856; M&G 1045; MEC 1, 890. Depeyrot 856; M&G 1045; MEC 1, 890. Coins VF or better, toned. (\$1500)

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1455. CAROLINGIANS. Lot of six (6) AR Deniers. Lot includes the following: (a) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.51 g, 4h). Class 1d. Tolusa (Toulouse) mint. Struck 840-684. ✠ **CARLVS EX F**, cross pattée / ✠ **TOLVSA CIVI**, **KAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 1003; M&G 1103; MEC 1, - // (b) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.43 g, 10h). Class 2. Belgevagus (Brauvais) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **CAROLVS REX FRAN**, cross pattée / ✠ **BELGEVAGVS CIVIT**, **KAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 136; M&G 1375; MEC 1, 909 // (c) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (22mm, 1.19 g, 12h). Class 2. Cventow[i]ci (Quentovic) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA DNI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram / ✠ **CVVENTOVVCI**, cross pattée; pellet in second quarter, annulet in third. Cf. Depeyrot 812 (for type); cf. M&G 716 (same); MEC 1, -; Haertle 90/138 var. (obv. legend) // (d) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (19mm, 1.66 g, 7h). Class 2. Rotumagus (Rouen) mint. Struck 864-877. ✠ **GRATIA RI REX**, **KAROLVS** monogram; retrograde S in monogram / ✠ **ROTVMACVS CIVI**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 878; M&G 910 -; MEC 1, 894 var. (**ROTVMACVS**) // (e) Charles le Chauve (the Bald). As Charles II, King of West Francia, 840-877. AR Denier (21mm, 1.72 g, 8h). Metxullo (Poitiers) mint. Struck circa 864-877 and later. ✠ **CARLVS REX FR**, cross pattée / ✠ **METXVLLLO**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 627; M&G 1064; MEC 1, 941 and pp. 238-9 // (f) Odo (Eudes). King of West Francia, 887-898. AR Denier (20mm, 1.50 g, 12h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ **GRATIA DEI REX**, **Odo Rex** monogram / ✠ **BITVRICES CIVITA**, cross pattée. Depeyrot 202; M&G 1331 var. (obv. legend); MEC 1, -. Coins VF or better, toned, Toulouse coin with traces of hard green on obverse. (\$1500)

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1456. CAROLINGIANS. Lot of six (6) AR Deniers. Lot includes the following: (a) Lothaire. King of West Francia, 954-987. AR Denier (20mm, 1.31 g, 9h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ **LOTERIVS REX**, cross pattée / ✠ **BITVRICES CIVITAS**, temple façade. Depeyrot 206; M&G 1672; MEC 1, – // (b) Lothaire. King of West Francia, 954-987. AR Denier (21mm, 1.20 g, 2h). Biturices (Bourges) mint. ✠ **LOTERIVS REX**, cross pattée / ✠ **BITVRICES CIVIT**, schematized **CAROLVS** monogram. Depeyrot 207; M&G 1666; MEC 1, – // (c) FRANCE, Provincial. *Franche-Comté*. temp. Otte-Guillaume de Bourgogne. 982-1026. AR Denier (21mm, 1.07 g, 10h). Salinis (Salins-les-Bains) mint. Retrograde ✠ **SCITIV COI=I'**, **COMITS** monogram / Retrograde ✠ **SALINIS BII** (three lines), cross pattée. Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Poey d'Avant –; Boudeau 1245; De Wit 487 // (d) FRANCE, Provincial. *Le Maine*. Herbert I Éveille-Chien (Wakedog). 1015-1035. AR Denier (19mm, 1.31 g, 7h). Cenomaniis (Le Mans) mint. ✠ **SIGNVM DEI VIVI**, cross pattée; pellets in upper quarters, Λ and ω in lower quarters / ✠ **CONES CENOMANIIIS**, **HVBERTVS** monogram. Legros 568; Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Poey d'Avant 1548; De Wit 358 // (e) FRANCE, Provincial. Normandie (Duché). *Richard I Sans Peur (the Fearless)*. 943-996. AR Denier (20mm, 1.26 g, 6h). Rotomagus (Rouen) mint. ✠ **RICARDVS I**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **ROTOMAGVS**, temple façade; in center, saltire cross with pellet in each quarter. Fécamp 773-2269; Legros 192; Duplessy, *Féodales* 16; Poey d'Avant –; De Wit 335 // (f) FRANCE, Provincial. Normandie (Duché). *Richard I Sans Peur (the Fearless)*. 943-996. AR Denier (21mm, 1.30 g, 9h). Rotomagus (Rouen) mint. ✠ **RICARDVS I**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / ✠ **ROTOMAGVS**, temple façade; in center, saltire cross with pellet in each quarter. Fécamp 773-2269; Legros 192; Duplessy, *Féodales* 16; Poey d'Avant –; De Wit 335. Coins VF or better. (\$1500)

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1457. CRUSADERS, Chios. Maona di Chio. Circa 1347-1566. AV Ducat (20mm, 3.53 g, 6h). Imitating Venice issue of Antonio Venier. Uncertain mint. **S/M/V/E/N/E/T/I** to left, **D/V/✠** and **ANTO VMERIO** to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them; pellet on shaft; triple pellets to left of banner; **T** to right of Doge / **SI • T T XPE DAT Q TI • • EGIS ISTE DVCTT**. Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars. Cf. CNI VII 32 (for type); Ives –; cf. Gamberini 394 (same). Good VF, struck with rusty dies. (\$300)

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1458. CRUSADERS, Chios. Maona di Chio. Filippo Maria Visconti. Duca di Milano, 1421-1436. AV Ducat (21mm, 3.51 g, 12h). Uncertain mint. **S/•P/E/T/R/V/S** to left, **D/V/✠** and **D (• below)** **MEDIOLAN •** to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them / **SIT T XPE DAT Q TV • REGIS ISTE • DVCTT •**. Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars. Cf. Schlumberger pl. XIV, 14 (for type); cf. Ives pl. XI, 2 (same); cf. Gamberini 398 (same). VF. Well struck. (\$300)

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**Dieudonné de Gozon – “The Dragon Slayer”
The Finest of Five Known**



1459. CRUSADERS, Knights of Rhodes (Knights Hospitaller). Dieudonné de Gozon. 1346-1353. AV Ducat (21mm, 3.53 g, 1h). Struck circa 1350-1353. **S/I/O/H/E/S/B** to left, **M/G/R** and **F • DEODAT** to right, S. Giovanni standing right and Grandmaster kneeling left, holding banner between them / **✠ HOSPITALIS QVART • RODI**, angel, seated facing on the open tomb of Christ, holding lis-tipped scepter in right hand, left hand on knee. Schlumberger, pl. IX, 22 (line drawing only) = Metcalf, *Crusades* p. 299 (same) = CCS 11 = Gamberini 372 (line drawing only) = Ives, pl. IX, 1 = Papadopoli 15643; Auctiones 11, lot 763 (same rev. die). Near EF. Extremely rare, one of five known. (\$75,000)

Ex Nomos 1 (6 May 2009), lot 185; *Numismatica Ars Classica 26* (27 June 2003), lot 3364.

Little is known of this Rhodian Grandmaster. Born of a noble family in Languedoc, Dieudonné de Gozon achieved a reputation when he slew a “dragon” – a large crocodile that had been hiding in a local swamp and killing the local livestock. For this, he was given the epithet ‘Dragonslayer’ (*Extinctor draconis*). In 1347/8, Dieudonné de Gozon led the Knights of Rhodes to assist Constantine IV of Armenia, who was then being threatened by the Sultan of Egypt.

This coin was almost certainly struck toward the end of Gozon’s reign since equally rare examples of the same type were struck by his successor, Pierre de Corneillan (1354-1355). They must have been struck in very small numbers and intended as presentation pieces – they are now among the greatest rarities of all the issues of the Knights of Rhodes.

One of the First Ducats of Antony Fluviano



1460. CRUSADERS, Knights of Rhodes (Knights Hospitaller). Antony Fluviano. 1421-1437. AV Ducat (21mm, 3.49 g, 12h). •S/•M/V/G/N/G/T/I to left D/V/✱ and F • ANTONIVS to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them; pellet on shaft; pellet to left of banner; saltire on banner / •SIT • T • XPE • DAT • Q • TV REGIS • ISTA CUDAT. Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars; pellet between feet. Schlumberger, pl. X, 15; cf. Ives, pl. IX, B (for type); cf. Gamberini 375 (same). Superb EF. Very rare. (\$3000)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group XXIX (30 March 1994), lot 1370.

This coin was part of a first issue of gold ducats struck by Antony Fluviano. A direct copy of the Venetian trade ducat, Fluviano was soon required to modify the design, when Venice strongly protested. Retaining the general Venetian type, Fluviano simply replaced the name of San Marco with that of San Giovanni Battista, the patron of the Knights of Rhodes (see Gorny and Mosch 217, lot 4044 for an example of the second type). While both varieties are considered very rare, the earlier variety tends to be more so with less than seven appearing at auction in the past decade



1461. CRUSADERS, Knights of Rhodes (Knights Hospitaller). Antony Fluviano. 1421-1437. AR Gigliato (28mm, 4.20 g, 3h). •✱ [F • ANTONIVS FVV]IAN CRASMONASTRO DI R[O], Grand Master kneeling left; patriarchal cross on three steps to left; to right; coat-of-arms above G / [•✱ • O]SPITALIS • S • IOHIS • IRVINI : DI RODI, cross fleury; shields of Hospitalers at ends of each crossbar. Schlumberger, pl. X, 14 = CCS 34a var. (legends); Metcalf, *Crusades* –; Slocum –. Good VF, toned, slight wave to flan. Very rare. (\$1500)

From the RAJ Collection, purchased from Baldwin's.



1462. CRUSADERS, Knights of Rhodes (Knights Hospitaller). Peter of Aubusson. 1476-1503. AV Ducat (22mm, 3.48 g, 6h). •S/•I/O/h/T/N/G to left, M/P and •S • PE • DUBUSS to right, S. Giovanni standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them; star to left of banner / •SIT • T • XPE • DATUR • Q • TV REGIS • ISTA • DUC •, Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars; pellet between feet. Schlumberger –; cf. Ives, pl. IX, D (for type); cf. Gamberini 380 (same). VF, lightly toned, mior die rust. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Schweizerischer Bankverein 41 (10 September 1996), lot 1291.



1463. CRUSADERS, Venetians in the Levant, *nomine* Andrea Dandolo. Circa 1344-1382. Pale AV Ducat (22mm, 3.42 g, 8h). Later 'K Series'. Uncertain mint. **S/H/V/E/H/E/T/I** to left, **D/V/X** and **ΛΗΘΚΔΛΗΘΥΙΟ** to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them; pellet on shaft; **S** and **Hs** in **ΛΗΘΚΔΛΗΘΥΙΟ** horizontal / **• S I T T X I E D A T O T V • • S I S I S T E D V E T T •**. Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars; pellet between feet. Cf. CNI VII 37 (for type); cf. Ives pl. XIII, 2 (same); cf. Gamberini 344 (Roberto d'Angio pr. Acaia). Near EF, toned, traces of having been placed in a bezel. (\$300)

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Islamic Influence Reaches Spain



1464. ISLAMIC, Umayyad Caliphate, *temp.* al-Walid I ibn 'Abd al-Malik. AH 86-96 / AD 705-715. AV Solidus (12mm, 4.31 g, 4h). Uncertain Spanish mint. Dated AH 94; IY 11 (AD 712/13). Eight-rayed star; **INNθNNINθ2N2θ2L2NA2** in outer margin / **INθ • E XI •** with macrons above; N and X (date) across field; **[H] 2Lθ FRT IN 2PN ANN XC[IIII]** in outer margin. Cf. SICA I 742 (for type); Balaguer –; cf. Gomez, *Hispano* 1 (same); cf. Walker, *Arab-Byzantine* ANS.14 (same); Album 122; DCA p. 621. Near EF, light toning in devices, traces of underlying luster. (\$2000)

Very Rare Umayyad Caliphate Semissis



1465. ISLAMIC, Umayyad Caliphate, *temp.* al-Walid I ibn 'Abd al-Malik. AH 86-96 / AD 705-715. AV Semissis (11mm, 2.02 g, 4h). Uncertain North African mint. Dated AH 98 (AD 716/17). **SIMIΛI2** with macron above **ΛΛI2** across field; **INNθ2NI2VAIVN2CVINCVI** in outer margin / Cross potent, with crossbar removed and top bar replaced by globus, set on two steps; **NIISθ FT IN ΛFRK(AN) [AN XCVNI]** in outer margin. SICA I –; Balaguer –; cf. Gomez, *Hispano* 5 (for type); cf. Walker, *Arab-Byzantine* 182 (same); cf. Kazan 241 (same); Album 116; DCA –. Good VF, lightly toned, small scratch on reverse. Very rare. (\$5000)

Ex Georges Bouchereau and Robert Boyer Collection.



1466. ISLAMIC, al-Maghreb (North Africa). Almoravids (*al-Murabitun*). 'Ali ibn Yusuf. AH 500-537 / AD 1106-1142. AV Dinar (26mm, 4.15 g, 8h). Aghmat mint. Dated AH 500 (AD 1106/7). Shahada and name of 'Ali ibn Yusuf in four lines; Quran 3:85 in outer margin / Caliphal titles and Arabic "k" in five lines; mint formula and AH date in outer margin. Hazard 152; Album 466.1. Near EF, slightly wavy flan. (\$1000)



1467. ISLAMIC, al-Maghreb (North Africa). Almohads (*al-Muwahhidun*). Abu Ya'qub Yusuf I. AH 558-580 / AD 1163-1184. AV Half Dinar (22mm, 2.31 g, 12h). Hazard's First series. Uncertain mint, possibly Ishbiliyah (Seville). Struck AH 563-580 (AD 1168-1184). Bismillah and Kalima in four lines within double linear quadrate frame; first portion of Kalima and epithets in outer margins / Titles and genealogy in four lines within double linear quadrate frame; name and titles of Abu Ya'qub Yusuf I in outer margins. Cf. Hazard 497 (for type, but with mint name); cf. Lavoix 725 (same); Album 483. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 12 August 1994.

Exceptional Dinar of Genghis Khan



1468. ISLAMIC, Mongols. Great Khans. Chingiz (Genghis). AH 602-624 / AD 1206-1227. AV Dinar (25mm, 4.20 g, 6h). Ghazna (Ghazni) mint. Dated AH [6]18 (AD 1221/2). Kalima and name of Abbasid caliph in four lines, floral ornament above and to left; Umayyad "Second Symbol" (al-Quran Sura 9:33) in outer margin / Name and titles of Chingiz Khan in four lines, floral ornament to left and right; mint formula and AH date in outer margin. Spengler 16-18; CNR XXI, 1 (Spring 1996), 245-30-35; Album 1964. EF, areas of weak strike in outer margins. Exceptional for issue. (\$4000)

Very Rare Mongol Silver Cash



1469. ISLAMIC, Mongols. Great Khans. temp. Chingiz (Genghis) or Qubilay (Kublai). AH 602-624 / AD 1206-1227 or AH 658-693 / AD 1260-1294. AR Cash (23mm, 3.32 g). Qaraqorum type. Uncertain mint. *Da Chao Tong Bao* (Great dynasty circulating treasure) in *Hàn* characters / Blank; trace of Möngke tamgha countermark. For coin: Hartill 19.1; cf. B&S, *Newly*, Type 2, Coin 3; for countermark: B&S, *Apropos*, p. 43, second example; <http://www.charm.ru/coins/china/dazhao-silver.shtml>. Near VF, thick green find patina. Very rare. (\$1250)

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WORLD COINAGE



1470. AFGHANISTAN, Durrani Shahs. Ahmad Shah. AH 1160-1186 / AD 1747-1773. AV Mohur (22mm, 10.98 g, 3h). Mashhad mint. Dated RY 8 (AD 1754/5). Couplet citing Ahmad Shah Durrani / Mint formula and RY date. SICA 9, –; Album 3090; KM 639. EF, shroff mark on edge. (\$500)

Ex Property of an Indian Prince (Spink 215, 5 December 2012), lot 532.

Although an agreement was signed with Shah Rukh in 1751 at Mashhad giving Ahmad Shah the right to strike coins in his own name, issues of this mint are only known for 1754/5.

1471. AFGHANISTAN, Durrani Shahs. Ahmad Shah. AH 1160-1186 / AD 1747-1773. AV Mohur (19mm, 10.84 g, 9h). Ashraf al-Bilad Ahmadshahi (Qandahar). Dated [AH 118(...)]; RY 23 (AD 1768/9). Couplet citing Ahmad Shah Durrani / Mint formula and RY date to lower left. SICA 9, –; Album 3090; KM 115. EF, shroff mark on edge. (\$400)

Ex Property of an Indian Prince (Spink 215, 5 December 2012), lot 507.



1472. AFGHANISTAN, Durrani Shahs. Timur Shah. AH 1186-1207 / AD 1773-1793. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.97 g, 6h). Ashraf al-Bilad Ahmadshahi (Qandahar). Dated RY 4 (AD 1779). Couplet citing Timur Shah Durrani / Mint formula and RY date to lower left. SICA 9, –; Album 3099; KM 126. EF, shroff mark on edge. (\$500)

Ex Property of an Indian Prince (Spink 215, 5 December 2012), lot 546.

1473. AFGHANISTAN, Durrani Shahs. Timur Shah. AH 1186-1207 / AD 1773-1793. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.97 g, 6h). Dar al-Sultanat Herat. Dated AH 1205 (AD 1790/1). Couplet citing Timur Shah Durrani; AH date to lower left / Mint formula. SICA 9, –; Album 3099; KM 386. EF, shroff mark on edge. (\$500)

Ex Property of an Indian Prince (Spink 215, 5 December 2012), lot 559.



1474. ALBANIA, People's Republic. 1944-1992. AV 100 Lekë (32mm, 19.73 g, 6h). Dated 1968. KM 54.1. Proof. Frosted devices contrast with mirrored fields. 0.5715 oz. AGW. (\$500)



1475. AUSTRALIA, Trade Coinage. Victoria. 1837-1901. AV Sovereign (22mm, 8.00 g, 6h). Sydney mint. Dated 1866. Second young head left, wearing banksia wreath / Crowned AUSTRALIA within wreath. Bentley 649; Marsh 371; Friedberg 10. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 62. (\$1000)



1476. AUSTRALIA, Commonwealth. George V. 1910-1936. AR Florin (26.8mm., 12h). Melbourne mint. Dated 1933. KM 27. In PCGS encapsulation graded MS 63. Very rare in high grade. (\$7500)

KM reports a total mintage of 488,000 specimens. The NGC World Coin Price Guide values MS 63 for this type at \$15,000.

Two Exceptional Early Dated Issues From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection



1477. AUSTRIA, Holy Roman Empire. Sigismund. Archduke, 1446-1490. AR Halbguldiner (36mm, 15.66 g, 10h). Hall mint; Wenzel Kröndl, diecutter. Dated 1484. * * S I G I S M U N D V S * T R A C H I D V X * T V S T R I A * , crowned, draped, and armored half-length bust right, holding globe-tipped scepter in right hand over shoulder and hilt of sword in left hand; tendrils flanking cross of crown / Knight in German Gothic armor, holding banner, on caparisoned horse galloping right; **1484** below; helmet decorated with elaborate crowned crest; Habsburg arms in exergue; arms of Austrian provinces around. Moser & Tursky 60; Moeser & Dworschak 65; Frey 261; Levinson IV-45a. Good VF, toned. Choice for issue. (\$5000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 69 (8 June 2005), lot 1929.

**A Superb Example of the Earliest Dated Taler
Perhaps the Finest Known**



1478. AUSTRIA, Holy Roman Empire. Sigismund. Archduke, 1446-1490. AR Guldiner – Taler (41mm, 31.54 g, 4h). Hall mint; Wenzel Kröndl, diecutter. Dated 1486. • **SIGISMUNDVS : * : ARCHIDVX • TVSTRIE** •, crowned, draped, and armored figure standing facing, holding globe-tipped scepter in right hand over shoulder and hilt of sword in left hand; to left, coat-of-arms held by lion; to right, crested and crowned helmet / Knight in German Gothic armor, holding banner, on caparisoned horse galloping right; **1486** below; helmet decorated with elaborate crowned crest; Habsburg arms in exergue; arms of Austrian provinces around. Moser & Tursky 64; Moeser & Dworschak 93; Frey 274; Levinson IV-49a; Davenport 8087. Superb EF, iridescent tone. Perhaps the finest known example of the earliest dated taler. (\$30,000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1479. AUSTRIA, Salzburg. Heinrich IV von Bayern. 995-1004; 1009-1017. AR Denar (20mm, 1.37 g, 12h). Struck 1009-1024. $\infty \times \infty \text{II} \text{—} \text{IE}$, crowned head right; wedge stops at beginning and end of legend / $\text{HIC} \text{—} \text{CV} \text{—} \text{II} \text{—} \text{C} \cdot \infty \cdot$ in retrograde, cross pattée; triple pellets in first and fourth quarters, wedge in second, annulet in third. Hahn 94A; CNA A6; Dannenber 1078-80; cf. De Wit 2569 (for type). Near EF, toned, edge slightly irregular. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased 15 January 2010.



1480. AUSTRIA, Salzburg (Fürsterzbistum). Matthäus Lang von Wellenburg. 1519-1540. AR Guldiner (39mm, 27.96 g, 6h). Dated 1522 (in Roman numerals). MATHEVS · CARD (coat-of-arms) AREPS · SALZB' AC · EPS · GVRCEN (coat-of-arms), bust left, wearing biretta and cowl; M · D · X · X · I · I · (date) across field / + MATHEVS · M · D · CARD · ARCHIEPS · SALZB' · AP · LEGAT, episcopal coat-of-arms surmounted by gallero and tassels. Popken, *Salzburg* 1012 var. (date); Davenport 8161; Probszt 202. EF, toned. Rare. (\$10,000)



1481. AUSTRIA, Salzburg (Fürsterzbistum). Wolf Dietrich von Raitenau. 1587-1612. AV Doppelter Dukat (26mm, 6.92 g, 6h). Dated 1592. WOLF · TEOD · D · G · AREPS · SAL · AP · SE · LE · 159Z, half-length bust of St. Rudebert (Rupert) in episcopal regalia facing, holding crozier and salt cellar, above episcopal coat-of-arms; S R across field / RVDOL · II · IMPE · AVGVS · P · F · DECRET, nimbate double-headed imperial eagle facing, with wings displayed; crown above. Popken, *Salzburg* 1059 var. (date); Probszt 757; Friedberg 689. EF, underlying luster. (\$2000)



1482. BOHEMIA. Oldrich. 1012-1033 and 1034. AR Denár (20mm, 0.98 g, 3h). Praha (Prague) mint. **ODALRICVS DV***, diademed and draped bust right / **ODALRICVS : DV***, cross pattée; pseudo-“hand symbol” in first quarter; annulets in second and third quarters; triple pellets in fourth quarter. Šmerda 129a; Donebauer 204. Superb EF, iridescent rainbow toning. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 13 April 2010.



1483. BOHEMIA. Oldrich. 1012-1033 and 1034. AR Denár (20mm, 1.04 g, 6h). Praha (Prague) mint. **ODAL RICVS DV***, half-length draped bust of Oldrich facing, holding banner in right hand / **S VENCEZLAVS**, *manus Dei* emanating from clouds. Šmerda 132; Donebauer 224. EF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Küinker 175 (28 September 2010), lot 3054.



1484. BOHEMIA. Oldrich. 1012-1033 and 1034. AR Denár (21mm, 0.86 g, 11h). Praha (Prague) mint. *** VDAL RICVS**, Oldrich enthroned facing, holding banner / **CS VVENCEZLAVS :**, bust of Wenceslaus left, raising right hand. Šmerda 137; Donebauer 234 var. (placement of rev. legend). EF, toned. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex CNG Inventory 823180 (April 2009).



1485. BOLIVIA, Colonial (as Alto Perú). Felipe IV. King of Spain, 1621-1665. AR 8 Reales (44mm, 24.87 g, 3h). Potosí mint. Dated 1650. PHILIPPVS • IIII • D • G • HISPANIARVM ✱, crowned coat-of-arms; ✱/P/✱/☉/✱ to left; ✱/☉/✱/(S shaped 8 with central pellets)/✱ to right / ✱ ET • INDIARVM • REX [•] ANO • 1•6•5•0, coat-of-arms of Spain within angled quadrilobe; c/m: uncertain design, partial pelleted border visible, all within circular incuse. Cf. ME pp. 699-700 (for contemporary Potosí 8 reales illustrated with c/ms); cf. NE pp. 321-2 (same); Lázaro 113 (this coin). VF, toned, holed for suspension, evidence of having been gilt. (\$3000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (Heritage 3030, 6 January 2014), lot 23064 (HSA 26213).



1486. BULGARIA, temp. Ferdinand I. As Prince, 1887-1908, or Tsar, 1908-1918. AV 4 Ducat (40mm, 12.75 g, 12h). In the name of Aleksandr II Nikolaevich of Russia. MX mint. Dated 1905. ALEXANDER • II • D • G • RUSSIAE IMPERATOR, laureate and mantled bust right with features of Franz Joseph II of Austria; MX monogram (mintmark) to left / RUSS • POLSK • FINLAN [-] LOD • ILL • REX • A • 1905, crowned double-headed eagle facing, holding eagle-tipped scepter and orb; on breast, coat-of-arms; additional coats-of-arms on wings; filleted crown above; (4) in exergue; c/m: filleted crown, A 1 below; all in incuse. See A. Basok, “Complete Catalog of Four Ducat Coins with Bulgarian Counterstamps under the names of Alexander II of Russia, Franz Joseph of Austria, Ferdinand I of Bulgaria, Boris III of Bulgaria” (Chicago, 2002), 16. EF, lustrous, numerous hairlines. Rare. (\$1000)

1487. CHILE, Republic. 1818-present. AV 100 Pesos (30mm, 20.18 g, 6h). 150th Anniversary of National Coinage. Santiago mint. Dated 1968. KM 185. Proof. Frosty devices contrast with mirrored fields. Only 1,815 minted. 0.5885 oz. AGW. (\$500)

Very Rare Imperial Dragon



1488. CHINA, Qing dynasty. Dézōng (Guāngxù). AD 1875-1908. AR 7 Mace 2 Candareens – Dollar (39mm, 26.78 g, 11h). Imperial Dragon type. Jiāngnán province. Nánjīng mint. Dated cyclical year 8-2 (1901). 造省南江辛庫平七錢二分丑 (Made in Jiāngnán province/xin [cyclical date stem]/Treasury scales equal to 7 qian and 2 fen/chou [cyclical date branch]), 寶元光緒 (Valuable yuan of Guāngxù) around similar legend in Manchu script / KIANG NAN PROVINCE/* 7 MACE AND 2 CANDAREENS *, flying imperial dragon facing, coiled leftward around fireball and surrounded by stylized clouds. L&M 244; Kann 86; KM 145a.5. Good Fine, chop marks. Very rare. (\$500)



1489. CHINA, Zhōnghuá Rénmín Gònghéguó (People's Republic of China). 1949-present. Proof AV 450 Yúan. Dated 1979. Year of the Child. AGW: 0.4968 oz. KM 9. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 69 CAMEO. (\$1000)



1490. COLOMBIA, Republica de Colombia. 1886-present. Proof AV 1500 Pesos. Dated 1966. Eucharist Congress. AGW: 1.8663 oz. KM 235. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 64 ULTRA CAMEO. (\$2500)



1491. CROATIA, Adriatic Coastal Cities. Ragusa (Dubrovnik). Republic of Ragusa. 1358-1807/1814. AR Tallero (41mm, 28.44 g, 12h). Dated 1772 GA/WA. RHACVSIN · RECTOR · REI, bareheaded and mantled bust left; G A flanking points of bust / DVCAT · ET · SEM REIP · RAC · 1772, coat-of-arms over crossed scepter and sword; filleted crown above; shield in ornate frame; W A flanking lowest point of frame. Davenport 1639; C 9; KM 18. EF, adjustment marks and trace of clashed die on reverse. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Barber & Fox, 2 June 1986.



1492. DENMARK. temp. Svend I Tveskæg (Forkbeard)–Knud II den Store (the Great). Circa 997-early 11th century. AR Penny (18.5mm, 1.57 g, 10h). Imitating an issue of Æthelred II of England. Uncertain mint; 'Ulfr,' moneyer. [E]ÐELRED REX AN, draped bust left / + VL F HI MO HAI, voided long cross, with pellet at center and triple-crescent ends. Malmer chain 134, dies 180/1205. VF. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Künker 175 (28 September 2010), lot 2945.

1493. DENMARK. Hardeknud (Knud III, the Hardy). 1035-1042. AR Penny (18.5mm, 0.71 g, 9h). Ålborg mint. + · ILIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII, short cross / + · IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII, annulet on cross. Cf. Hauberg 36 (different pseudo-legend); Hauberg Collection 572 (this coin?); cf. Hede II, 35 (same). Good VF, toned. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Siegfried Schierhorn Collection (Künker 176, 29 September 2010), lot 5883. Purportedly ex P. Hauberg Collection (Møntauktion, 4 November 1929), lot 572.



1494. DENMARK. Hardeknud (Knud III, the Hardy). 1035-1042. AR Penny (16.5mm, 0.76 g). Århus mint. **HL·III·HI:ΛΘ·IIID**, draped bust left; quatrefoil of pellets below / **IO·III·D:II·Λ·II·HI·IO·II·Λ·** around **OX·X**. Cf. Hauberg 44 (different pseudo-legend); Hauberg Collection 596 (this coin?); cf. Hede I, 33 (same). EF, toned. Very rare. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Siegfried Schierhorn Collection (Künker 176, 29 September 2010), lot 5885. Purportedly ex P. Hauberg Collection (Møntauktion, 4 November 1929), lot 596.



1495. DENMARK. Hardeknud (Knud III, the Hardy). 1035-1042. AR Penny (18mm, 0.72 g). Ribe mint. **+ ICIIIΘ ○CII I**, schematic bust left, wearing pyramidal helmet and holding trefoil sceptre; small cross pattée before / **+ · IIIΘ+I:LI·ICIIIΘII·**, tribrach with dotted borders, central small cross pattée. Cf. Hauberg 49 (different pseudo-legend); cf. Hede I, 36 (same); Triton VIII, lot 1520 (same dies). EF, toned. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling.



1496. DENMARK. Stridsperioden (Civil War). 1044-1047. AR Penny (17mm, 1.04 g, 2h). Lund mint; 'Ilontat' moneyer. **+ O ID IIIVD·O**, bird standing left / **+ IL·ONT AT N LVD**, voided long cross, with pellet at center and triple-crescent ends; crescent in first quarter. Becker rev. die 110; Hauberg 16; Hede III, 43. EF, toned, two peck marks on reverse. Very rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Siegfried Schierhorn Collection (Künker 176, 29 September 2010), lot 5889 (hammer €4.200); Rasmussen 389 (31 January 1979), lot 3037.

The 'Stridsperioden' (literally meaning a 'time of dispute') is the name given by Danish historians to the period when rival Danish and Norwegian claimants (Magnus den Gode, Harald Hardråde, and Svend Estridsen) fought for the Danish throne. During this period, circa 1044-1047, Lund changed hands many times. Because of this, the mint produced a number of dies with the names blundered, so that any coins produced would be accepted by whichever king controlled the mint at a given time.



1497. DENMARK. Svend II Estridsen. 1047-1075. AR Pfennig (16.5mm, 0.52 g). Copying Æthelred II of England. Lund mint(?). **RIEIIIDDIIN**, draped bust left; crozier before / **+HIEFFEEDINI**, voided short cross; cross pattée and trefoil of pellets in angles. Cf. Hauberg 3; Hauberg Collection 132; Hede III, 47. VF, rough, toned. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 26 May 2010. Ex Davissons 28 (17 December 2009), lot 370.

While Hauberg describes a type with the legend **+SPEN+RE+DIBRH**, both the specimen in his own collection and the one owned by Hede bear nonsensical legends. These crude legends and the presence of a crozier before the bust are both reminiscent of the Phase V Hiberno-Norse coinage, for which this type may have served as a prototype.



1498. DENMARK. Svend II Estridsen. 1047-1075. AR Penny (17.5mm, 1.03 g, 9h). Roskilde mint. **+ II III III III**, openwork cross fleurée with central pellet-in-annulet, triple pellets in three of the voids and trefoil terminals on three of the bars, upper bar consisting of small globe set on larger globe; all within large open linear convex cross with pellet terminals and joined at ends by double line / Ornate "tapestry" pattern: central design consisting of pellet-in-annulets joined by double lines; on either side, **IIIIIIII** and **IIIIIIII** within pelleted border; at outer ends, cross pattée within pelleted border; pellet and crescent in outer voids. Cf. Hauberg 36 (different pseudo-legend); cf. Hede III, 56 (same). EF, toned. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 29 April 2010. Ex Rasmussen 774 (13 June 2007), lot 5035.



1499. DENMARK. Svend II Estridsen. 1047-1075. AR Penny (17.5mm, 0.99 g). Roskilde mint. **II II II III III**, openwork cross fleurée with central pellet-in-annulet, triple pellets in three of the voids and trefoil terminals on three of the bars, upper bar consisting of small globe set on larger globe; all within large open linear convex cross with pellet terminals and joined at ends by double line / Ornate "tapestry" pattern: central design consisting of pellet-in-annulets joined by double lines; on either side, **IIIIIIII** within pelleted border; at outer ends, cross pattée within pelleted border; pellet and crescent in outer voids. Cf. Hauberg 36 (different pseudo-legend); cf. Hede III, 56 (same). EF, toned. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 104 (13 March 2010), lot 338.



1500. DENMARK. temp. Svend III Grathe, Knud V, and Valdemar I den Store (the Great). 1146-1157. AR Bracteate (16mm, 0.28 g). Mint in Nørrejylland (Northern Jutland). Two helmeted, confronted busts in stylized ship, each holding sword over shoulder; annulet to upper right / Incuse of obverse. Hauberg 1; Hauberg Collection 1434 = Hede III, 75. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the TJH Collection.

For the Danish East India Company



1501. DENMARK. Christian V. 1670-1699. AR Speciedaler (41mm, 29.01 g, 12h). Dansk Østindisk Kompagni (Danish East India Company) issue. Dated MDCLXXI and 1671. CHRISTIAN : V. D. G. REX. DAN : NOR : VAN : GOT : , laureate, draped, and armored smiling bust right / Crowned C5 monogram above crowned *DOC* monogram; 16 71 across field; *G K* below *DOC*; all within palm wreath. Edge: PIETATE ET IUSTITIA · ANNO · MDCLXXI. Schou 6; Hede 63A; Jensen, p. 18; Davenport 409. Good VF, toned, flan flaw on reverse. (\$5000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

Ex Klawans Collection



1502. DENMARK. Christian V. 1670-1699. AR Speciedaler (42mm, 29.02 g, 12h). Dansk Østindisk Kompagni (Danish East India Company) issue. Dated 1672. CHRISTIANUS · V · D · G · REX · DAN · NOR · VAN · GOT ·, laureate, draped, and armored bust right / Crowned C5 monogram above crowned DOC monogram; 16 72 across field; all within palm wreath; G K below wreath tie. Edge: plain. Schou 7; Hede 63C; Jensen —; Davenport 410. EF, toned. (\$10,000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from James F. Elmen, 25 August 1986. Ex Zander H. Klawans Collection.



1503. DENMARK. Frederik V. 1746-1766. AR Medal - Skuemønt (42mm, 29.83 g, 12h). Dansk Asiatisk Kompagni (Danish Asiatic Company) Issue Commemorating the Tricentenary of the Ruling House of Oldenburg. By Marcus Gustavus Arbien. Dated 28 October 1749. FRIDERIC · V · D · G · REX · DAN · NORV · VAN · GOTH ·, laureate, draped, and armored bust right; ARBIEN. F. below bust / Radiate crowned coat-of-arms above crowned DAC monogram, set on crossed fasces, winged caduceus, and cornucopia, all decorated with floral chain and set on ground line; FELICIT : IMPERII CCC/ANN : STIRP : OLDENB ·D. 28 OCT. 1749./A in four lines in exergue. Galster 437a; Jensen, p. 33; Meyer 5952. VF, toned, fields chased. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 46.

1504. DENMARK. Frederik V. 1746-1766. AV Kurantdukat (20mm, 3.09 g, 12h). København (Copenhagen) mint; Hans Schieven Knoph, mintmaster; Georg Wilhelm Wahl, engraver. Dated 1761. FRIDERICVS · V · D · G · DAN · NOR · V · G · REX ·, head right; W · at truncation of neck / PRUDENTIA ET CONSTANIA ·, large crown; XII · M · below; · 17 · W · 61 · in exergue. Hede 22D; Schou 2; Friedberg 269. VF, typical weak strike on reverse, obverse struck with slightly rusty and broken die. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.



1505. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, Republic. 1865-pres. Proof AV 200 Pesos. Dated 1976. Juan Pablo Duarte. AGW: 0.7973 oz. KM 47. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 68 ULTRA CAMEO. (\$1250)



1506. ERITREA, Colonial. Umberto I. King of Italy, 1889-1900. AR 50 Centesimi (18.5mm, 2.52 g, 6h). Milan mint. Dated 1890 M. Crowned bust right / Denomination. KM 1. Choice EF, toned, with proof-like fields. (\$500)

Two Very Rare Pieforts



1507. FRANCE, Royal. Philippe IV le Bel (the Fair). 1285–1314. BI Piefort Denier tournois à l'O long (20mm, 5.28 g, 12h). ✱ **PHILIPPVS REX**, cross pattée / ✱ **TVRONVS CIVIS**, châtél tournois. Duplessy 223; Ciani 224; Lafaurie 228; cf. Roberts 2418 (for type). VF, toned. Very rare. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1508. FRANCE, Royal. Jean II le Bon (the Good). 1350–1364. BI Piefort Gros Tournois à la queue (30mm, 13.16 g, 6h). Paris mint. Struck 1357. ✱ **BIHIDICTV' : SIT : NOMA' : DNI : NRI : IHV' : XPI' / IOHANNES** (horizontal ermine) **REX**, Latin cross pattée / ✱ **TVRONVS • CIVIS**, châtél tournois within border of twelve lis. Cf. Duplessy 300 (for type); Ciani 384; Lafaurie 303e; cf. Roberts 2521 (for type). VF, minor roughness, flan flaw on obverse edge at 11 o'clock. Very rare. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1509. FRANCE, Royal. Jean II le Bon (the Good). 1350–1364. BI Gros blanc à la couronne (27mm, 3.33 g, 9h). Paris mint. Struck 1357. ✱ **BNDITV' : SIT : NOMA' : DNI : NRI : DEI : IHV' : XPI' / IOHANNES • DEI • GRA**, cross patée; lis in second and third quarters / ✱ **FRANCORV • REX**, large crown; border of twelve lis. Duplessy 303; Ciani 385; Lafaurie 306; Roberts 2691. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.

Very Rare Piefort



1510. FRANCE, Royal. Charles VI le Bien-Aimé/le Fol (the Well-Beloved/the Mad). 1380-1422. BI Piefort gros dit 'florette' (30mm, 14.84 g, 12h). Struck circa 1417 or later. ✠ **ARROVS FRANCOVS R** ✠, three lis; crown above / ✠ **SIT : NOBIS : DON : BENEDICTIO**, cross fleurée; crown in first and fourth quarters. Cf. Duplessy 387 (for type); Ciani 525; Lafaurie 391a; cf. Roberts 2881 (for type). Good Fine, minor roughness. Very rare. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffre Collection. Ex Elsen 101 (13 June 2009), lot 422.

Very Rare Charles VIII & Anne of Brittany Medal



1511. FRANCE, Royal. Charles VIII l'Affable (the Affable). 1483-1498. AR Medal (40mm, 12.94 g, 9h). By Louis Lepère (fl. 1456-1500), Jean Lepère (fl. 1492 -† c. 1534-1537), and Nicolas de Florence (†1499). Dated 1493, but probably struck circa 1502 or 1515. ✠ **FELIX : FORTVNA : DIV : EXPLORATVM : ACTVLIT : I** 4 9 3 ✠ (*a fortunate happenstance brought him so long looked for*), crowned and draped bust of Charles VIII right, wearing the Order of St. Michael; behind, semée of fleurs-de-lis / ✠ **R : P : LVGDVNEN : ANNA** (lion rampant left) ✠ **REGNANTE : CONFLAVIT** ✠ (*the Lyonnaise republic forged this during the reign of Anne*), crowned bust of Anne of Brittany to right, wearing rosary; behind, semée of ermines. Chabouillet, *Catalogue* 2902; Armand I, p. 89, 24; Jones 13; Pollard 599 = Kress 526; M. Veillon, "Genèse et Essor de la Médaille Royale dans la France," *The Medal* 50, Spring 2007, p. 18, fig. 5. Fine, toned, holed for suspension. One of the most important and most interesting of all early French struck medals. (\$2000)

From the RAJ Collection. Reportedly purchased from Paul Bosco, 1997.



Enlargement of Lot 1512

Extremely Rare Essai Louis D'argent - Écu de 60 Sols



1512. FRANCE, Royal. Louis XIII le Juste (the Just). 1610–1643. AR Essai Louis d'argent – Écu de 60 sols au type de la Monnaie assise (40mm, 29.38 g, 12h). By Jean Varin (Warin). Dated 1641. · LVDOVICVS · XIII · D · G · FR · ET · NAV · REX, laureate and draped bust right / ARTE MEA BIS IVSTVS (*by my skill twice just*), La Monnaie, veiled and draped, seated left on draped ornate base, decorated with pellets and lis, holding in outstretched right hand a scale containing a coin in each pan, and cradling cornucopia in left arm; MONETA · LVD · IVST · / · 1641 · in two lines in exergue. Duplessy –; Droulers (2nd ed.) PH 6; Ciani 1651 = H. Hoffmann, *Les monnaies royales de France depuis Hugues Capet jusqu'à Louis XVI* (Paris, 1878), 81; Maison Palombo (30 April 2005), lot 198 (same dies); H. Rolland, *Monnaies Françaises. Étude d'après le Cabinet Numismatique de G. Motte* (Macon, 1932), 629 = Georges Motte Collection (Bourgey, 12 November 1951), lot 523 = 51 Gallery (9 December 2013), lot 287. EF, toned, evidence of prior mounting. Extremely rare. (\$7500)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.



1513. FRANCE, Premier Empire. Napoléon I. 1804–1814. AR 5 Francs (37.2mm, 24.96 g, 6h). Limoges mint; *différents*: initials/clasped hands. Dated 1813-I. Laureate head right / Denomination within wreath. Mazard 448; Guilloteau 2310; VG 584; KM 694.7. EF, toned, light adjustment marks, underlying luster. (\$500)



1514. FRANCE, Provincial. Blois (Comté). temp. **Thibaud I le Tricheur.** 922/8-975/8. AR Denier (20mm, 1.40 g, 3h). Blesianiscastro (Blois) mint. Struck circa 940-950. Abstract diademed and mantled bust right; • on cheek and to right of bust / ✱ **BLESIANISCASTRO**, cross pattée. P. Crinon, "A propos de deniers inédits de Blois (Xe siècle): le monnayage à la tête dans les domaines de Thibaud de Tours et Thibaud Ier (durant les deux premiers tiers du Xe s.), *BSFN* 48.1 (January 1993), pp. 467-472; Fécamp 6925 var. (rev. legend); cf. Duplessy, *Feodales*, 572 (for type); Poey d'Avant -. VF, toned. Rare. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 27 May 2010. Ex Tkalec (7 May 2009), lot 256.

Unique Dombes Teston



1515. FRANCE, Provincial. Dombes. Marie de Bourbon-Montpensier. 1608-1627. AR Teston (30mm, 9.80 g, 12h). + MARIA · P · DOMBAR · D · MONTISP · I, half-length bust left, wearing pierced coif and ornate collar / + DNS · ADIVTOR · ET · REDEM · MEVS · I6II, crowned Bourbon coat-of-arms; to either side of shield, M with crown above. Divo, *Dombes*, 125 (this coin); Duplessy, *Féodales*, 2966; Poey d'Avant -; Boudeau -. Near EF, toned. Unique. (\$20,000)

Ex Felix Couchard Collection (Weil, 27 January 2006), lot 207; Collection H[enri] M[eyer] (Rollin & Feuardent, 26 May 1902), lot 1944.



1516. FRANCE, Provincial. Metz (évêché). Thiéri V de Boppart. Bishop, 1365-1384. AR Gros (26mm, 3.35 g, 7h). **THEODC' • EPS' • METER' •**, bishop in episcopal regalia standing facing, raising right hand in benediction, and holding crozier in left / **• BHDICTV' • SIT • ROMÆ' • DHI' • DRI' • IhV' • •PI' •/GRO SVS ME TES**, cross pattée. Robert 1; Boudeau 1641; Roberts –; De Wit 541. Superb EF, toned. (\$500)

From the RAJ Collection. Reportedly purchased from Charles H. Wolfe III, 1998.



1517. FRANCE, Provincial. Normandie (duché). Guillaume II le Conquérant. 1035-1087. AR Denier (18mm, 0.94 g, 10h). In the name of his son, Robert II Curthose. Struck circa 1050-1075. **ROB[...]** **COMES**, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / Norman-style two-towered cathedral façade; nave decorated with **✠** in pediment, and surmounted by cross on globe; pellet in pediment of each tower; **2 S** flanking nave. Dumas, Group B/C, pl. XIX, 17 = Le Gros 338 corr. (line drawing); Poey d'Avant –; Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Roberts –; De Wit –; cf. Elsen 121, lot 659 (for type). VF, toned. A very rare and enigmatic coin. (\$400)



1518. FRANCE, Provincial. Orléans (comté). Hugues. Circa 1010-1025. AR Denier (21mm, 1.27 g, 3h). **✠ D=I DE*TRA BE**, two towered city gate; **H** to left, **V** within gateway, retrograde **E** to right, **O** above / **✠ AURELIANIS CIVTA**, cross pattée. Fécamp, pp. 186-7; Duplessy, *Féodales*, 522; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 5 April 2010.

Trade Coin



1519. FRANCE, Provincial. Orange (principauté). Guillaume III d'Orange-Nassau (Guillaume III, Roi d'Angleterre, d'Écosse et d'Irlande). 1650-1702. AR Douzième d'Écu (20mm, 2.02 g, 6h). Orange mint. Dated 1667. **GVIL • HNR • D G • PRI • AVR**, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right; **3R** in exergue / **SOLI • DEO • HONOR • ET • GLO I 6 6 7**, crowned coat-of-arms; crowned **G** to left and right of shield. CL 312; V&W 126. VF, toned, light marks in obverse fields. (\$200)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 148.



1520. FRANCE, Provincial. Provence (comté). Charles I d'Anjou. 1246-1285. AR Denier (20mm, 1.61 g, 4h). Massilia (Marseille) mint. **COMES** : **PVIHCIE**, bare head of Raymond left / **CIVITAS MASSIL**, city gate with two inner towers and three fortified wall towers. Poey d'Avant 3955; Boudeau 809; Roberts 5022; De Wit 462. VF, toned. Well struck. (\$500)

From the TJH Collection.



1521. FRANCE, Provincial. Toulouse (comté). Pons. 1037-1060. AR Denier (19mm, 1.37 g, 11h). Aianrigo (Toulouse) mint. Struck by Pons, Count of Toulouse, 1037-1060. **POHCIO COMES**, large staurogram; pellet above each end of crossbar / **AIAHREO, REX** in circular pattern. Duplessy, *Féodales* 1203; Poey d'Avant 3660 and pl. LXXIX, 18; Roberts 4206; cf. De Wit 256 (obol). Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Crinon-Alde 51 (14 June 2010), lot 249.

The royal title on the reverse of this issue refers to the French king Henri I (1031-1060) who was a blood relative of count Pons.



1522. FRANCE, Provincial. Toulouse (comté). Raymond IV. 1081-1106. AR Denier (19mm, 1.31 g, 4h). **RAIMVHCVS**, diademed head left / **TOLOSA CIVI**, diademed head right. Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Poey d'Avant –; Roberts –; De Wit –. Superb EF, toned. Apparently unpublished variety with the obverse head left. (\$5000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Crinon-Alde 51 (14 June 2010), lot 254 (where it realized 5200 €).



1523. GABON, Republic. 1960-present. Proof AV 20000 Francs. Dated 1969, no. 0369. Apollo XI on the launch pad. AGW: 2.0254 oz. KM 10. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 64 ULTRA CAMEO. (\$3000)

Exquisite Portrait of Archduke Karl II of Austria



1524. GERMANY, Bayern (Erzherzogtum). *Albert V der Großmütige*. 1550-1579. AR Medallion (26mm, 8.63 g, 12h). Commemorating the Marriage of His Daughter, Maria, with Archduke Karl II of Austria. By A. Abondi. Struck 1571. CAROLVS + ARCHIDVX + AVSTRIÆ, armored and draped bust of Karl II right / • MARIA • ERZHERZOGIN • ZV • OSTERREIG, crowned coat-of-arms. Heidelberger 60, lot 1823 (this medal). EF, attractively toned. Fine style. Extremely rare. (\$3000)



1525. GERMANY, Hessen-Kassel (Landgrafschaft). Wilhelm V der Beständige. 1627-1637. AR Weidenbaumtaler (44mm, 28.72 g, 6h). Kassel mint. Dated 1637. * WILLHELM 9 · D · G · LANDGRAVI9 · HASSIÆ · COM · C · D · Z · ETN, crowned lion rampant left; 16 37 above · G · · K · across field; between legs, crossed picks / * VNO · VOLENTE · HUMILIS · LEVABOR, large willow tree being blown in thunderstorm and struck with lightning; village buildings and churches on either side; radiate יהוה (YHWH in Hebrew [tetragrammaton]) above. Schütz 910; Davenport A 6764. Good VF, toned, small edge flaw at 10 o'clock on reverse. (\$500)

From the TJH Collection.

Imitating the Leeuwendaalder Trade Lion Dollars from the Lasser Collection



1526. GERMANY, Jever (Grafschaft). Karl Wilhelm von Anhalt-Zerbst. 1667-1718. AR Taler – 40 Stüber (41mm, 26.50 g, 1h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1676. · CAR · W · P · A · C · · A · D · S · B · I · & · K ·, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / * IN · DOMINO · FIDUCIA · NOSTRA : 40 · S : 1676, lion rampant left. Davenport 6859; KM 74. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

First struck in 1575 in the Dutch province of Holland during the Eighty Years' War, the *leeuwendaalder*, or 'lion dollar' supplanted the Burgundian *kruisdaalder*, or 'cross dollar', which had been circulating throughout the Low Countries and was seen as a remnant of Spanish overlordship. Soon, the other provinces of the Dutch Republic were minting *leeuwendaalders* well into the seventeenth century (see lot 1637). Unlike the concurrent *rijksdaalder*, first struck in 1584 and which was valued at 50 stuivers, the lighter *leeuwendaalder*, valued at between 36 and 42 stuivers, became a more attractive way for Dutch merchants to pay their overseas debts. Owing to the expanding Dutch mercantile empire in the seventeenth century, the *leeuwendaalder* consequently became an attractive international trade currency, and was popular in parts of Europe, the Middle East, the Americas, and Asia. The *leeuwendaalder* was also copied in a number of cities in Germany and Italy due to its popularity as a trade currency. Circulating also in Transylvania, where it was also copied, the *leeuwendaalder* lent its name to the modern currencies of Romania and Moldavia as the *leu* or 'lion'.

Early Dated Kleve Stuber



1527. GERMANY, Kleve. Johann II. 1481-1521. BI Stuber (27mm, 2.54 g, 8h). Wesel mint. Dated 1490 (*in Roman numerals*). * IOHS' * DVX * ALIVENS * Z * AO' * MTRR', coat-of-arms / MO * NO WEST LIA * M * A CCA * XC, coat-of-arms over large cross pattée. Levinson I-248; Noss 163-4; Schulten 1467. VF, toned, minor porosity. (\$200)



1528. GERMANY, Köln (Erzbistum). Pilgrim, with Conrad II, Holy Roman Emperor. 1024-1036. AR Denar (19mm, 1.26 g, 11h). Struck 1027-1036. ✠ CH[V]ONRADVS IMP, cross pattée; PI-LI/GR-IM in quarters / ✠ SANCTA COLONIA, temple façade. Dannenberg 381; Hävernack 222; cf. De Wit 1974 (for type); CNG 69, lot 1965. Good VF, toned, areas of weak strike. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 29 April 2010.

1529. GERMANY, Magdeburg (Erzbistum). Wichmann von Seeburg. 1152-1192. AR Bracteate Moritzpfennig (30mm, 1.01 g). SC S = OLAVRICIVS[DV✠], half-length facing bust of S. Moritz below triple double-linear arches, holding banner on cross-tipped staff in right hand and shield in left; Magdeburger Dom above / Incuse of obverse. Berger 1506; Mehl 248; Bonhoff 664; Löbbecke 305. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Elsen FPL 262 (October-December 2012), no. 307.

Early Dated Nördlingen Halb Schilling

1530. GERMANY, Nördlingen (Reichsmünzstätte). Maximilian I. As Holy Roman Emperor, 1493-1519. Halb Schilling (19.5mm, 0.92 g, 4h). Nördlingen mint. Dated 1499. ✠ [M]ONETA ꝛ NO[V]A NÖR[DLING] • 1499, imperial eagle facing, head left, with wings displayed / ✠ M[XIM]ILIANVS ROMANORV ꝛ REX, coat-of-arms of Weinsberg within trilobe. Levinson I-421a. VF, toned, traces of deposits. Clear date. (\$200)



1531. GERMANY, Nürnberg (Stadt). Sigismund. 1433-1437. AR Medal (47mm, 41.20 g, 12h). Commemorating the 1424 Removal of the Holy Relics from Prague to Nürnberg. By Martin Brunner. Struck early 18th century. SIGISMVNDVS · ROM · IMPERATOR ·, crowned half-length bust of Sigismund, wearing imperial regalia, facing slightly left, holding globus cruciger and scepter / ✠ LANZA · ET · CLAVS · DOMINI ·, the Nürnberger Kleinodien: the Heilige Lanze (Holy Lance); to left, DE · PRÆSEPI · DOMINI · above a portion of the Krippe (Holy Manger); to right, the Kreuzpartikel (reliquary containing portion of the Reliquie des Kreuzes Christi [True Cross]), above DE · CRUCE · DOMINI ·. Erlanger 1065. EF, toned. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection. Reportedly purchased from Dr. R. Milcarek, 1998 CICF.



1532



1533



1534



1532. GERMANY, Nürnberg (Stadt). Joseph II. AR Taler (41mm, 27.95 g, 12h). Nürnberg mint; Adam Nikolaus Riedner, Münzmeister, and Sigmund Scholz, Münzwardein. Dated 1767. MONETA REPVBL · NORIMBERG · 1767, crowned coat-of-arms; shield within ornate frame; S · R · flanking base of shield; + X · E · FEINE · M · + in exergue / IOSEPHVS II · D · G · ROM · IMP · SEMP · AVG ·, nimbate and crowned double-headed imperial eagle facing, with wings displayed, globus cruciger on breast, holding sword and scepter. Kellner 349; Schön 75; Davenport 2498. Superb EF, proof-like fields, hairlines. (\$500)

1533. GERMANY, Rietberg (Grafschaft). Johann IV. 1640-1660. Plated CU Taler (41mm, 25.34 g, 3h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1660. MO ARC FRO CN EOEDR ID THF, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / CON · FI · DENS · DNO · NON · M · O · VETVR ♠ 1660, lion rampant left. Davenport 7326A; KM 71.2. VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Gorny & Mosch 110 (15 October 2001), lot 332.

1534. GERMANY, Rietburg. Johann IV. 1640-1660. Plated CU Taler (41mm, 24.34 g, 3h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1660. MO ARC FRO CN EOEDR ID THF, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / CONFIDENS · DNO · NON · MOVETVR ♠ 1660, lion rampant left. Davenport 7326A; KM 71.2. Near VF, toned, a few spots of corrosion. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Varesi 43 (27 April 2004), lot 253.

Early Dated Trier Gulden – Ex De Wit Collection



1535. GERMANY, Trier (Erzbistum). Werner von Falkenstein. 1388-1418. AV Gulden (22mm, 3.52 g, 11h). Koblenz mint. Struck after 1404. WERNER' TRCP' ♠ TR', half-length bust of St. Petrus facing, holding key in right hand and Gospel in left; coat-of-arms below; all within arched Gothic canopy / * MONETA NOVA TRIVALENSIS, coat-of-arms within angled trilobe; face in Θ of MONETA; double rosette stops. W&N 277; Friedberg 3419; de Wit 2066 (this coin). Near EF. (\$1000)

Ex G.W. de Wit Collection (Künker 130, 9 October 2007), lot 2066; Tietjen 66 (2 December 1992), lot 1677.



1536. GERMANY, Westfalen (Königreich). Hieronymus Napoleon. 1807-1813. AV 10 Taler (29mm, 13.28 g, 12h). Braunschweig mint. Dated 1812. HIERONYMUS NAPOLEON ·, laureate head left / KOENIG VON WESTPHALEN FR · PR ·, (⊗ in annulet) X (⊗ in annulet)/THALER/★ 1812 ★/B · in four lines; elongated rosette in exergue. Divo & Schramm 215; AKS 2; Jaeger 26 : Friedberg 3513. EF, attractive red cabinet toning. (\$3000)



1537. HAITI, Deuxième République. François “Papa Doc” Duvalier. President, 1957-1971. AV 50 Gourdes (23mm, 9.87 g, 6h). 10th Anniversary of Revolution. Dated 1967 IC. KM 68. Proof. Frosty devices and deeply mirrored fields. 0.2856 oz. AGW. (\$400)

1538. HAITI, Deuxième République. Jean-Claude “Bébé Doc” Duvalier. President, 1971-1986. AR 100 Gourdes (40mm, 40.05 g, 6h). 10th Anniversary of the Presidency of Jean Claude Duvalier. Rome mint. Dated 1981 R. KM 159. Proof. Frosty devices contrast with mirrored fields. (\$500)



1539. HUNGARY, People’s Republic. 1949-1989. Proof AV 500 Forint. Budapest mint. Dated 1966. Miklos Zrinyi. AGW: 1.2168 oz. KM 570. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 64 ULTRA CAMEO. (\$2000)



1540. INDIA, Medieval. Kadambas of Goa. Sivachitta Permadeva, with Jayakesin III. 1147/8-1181. AV Pagoda (20mm, 4.40 g, 12h). Lion to left; uncertain date to left / Name and titles of Sivachitta in four lines in Devanagari. Cf. Mitchiner, *South I*, 241 = MNI 659 (for type); Chattopadhyaya – (same). Good VF. (\$500)

From the TJH Collection. Reportedly from the William F. Spengler Collection.

1541. INDIA, Islamic Sultanates. Bengal. Rukn al-Din ‘Ali Mardan. AH 606(?)–609/10 / AD 1210/11–1213. AV Fractional Tanka of 20 ratī (16mm, 2.23 g, 2h). Horseman left, holding mace(?) in raised right hand; no mint formula in field; Kalima and [AH date formula] in outer margin / Name and titles of Rukn al-Din ‘Ali Mardan in five lines. CIS B7; Rajgor Type 115. Near VF, holed for suspension. Very rare. (\$1000)



1542. INDIA, Mughal Empire. *Shihab al-Din Muhammad Shah Jahan*. AH 1037-1068 / AD 1627-1658. AV Mohur (20mm, 10.94 g, 2h). Burhanpur mint. Dated AH 1049; RY x (AD 1640/1). Kalima within ornated square frame; Rashidun in outer fields; AH date to lower left of frame / Titles of Shah Jahan within ornated square frame; additional legend and mint name in outer fields; no RY date. Wright 45 var. (AH date); Hull 1560; KM 260.6. EF. (\$750)

1543. INDIA, Mughal Empire. *Shihab al-Din Muhammad Shah Jahan*. AH 1037-1068 / AD 1627-1658. AV Mohur (20mm, 10.94 g, 2h). Burhanpur mint. Dated AH 1057; RY x (AD 1648/9). Kalima within ornated square frame; [Rashidun in outer fields]; AH date to lower left of frame / Titles of Shah Jahan within ornated square frame; [additional legend] and mint name in outer fields; no RY date. Wright 45 var. (AH date); Hull 1560; KM 260.6. EF. (\$750)

Unique Tranquebar Rupee



1544. INDIA, Colonial. *Danish India (Tranquebar)*. Dansk Asiatisk Kompagni (Danish Asiatic Company). AR Rupee (23mm, 11.45 g, 9h). In the name of the Mughal emperor, Ahmad Shah Bahadur. Arkat (Arcot) mint. Dated AH [116]7; RY 7 (26 April-2 June AD 1754). Couplet citing name and titles of Ahmad Shah Bahadur; last digit of AH date in upper central field / Mint formula and RY date; D to left of RY date. Cf. Jensen, pp. 31-2; KM –; Baldwin's 30, lot 1000 (this coin). EF, toned, shroff marks on obverse and reverse. Apparently unique. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Baldwin's 30 (8 May 2002), lot 1000.

Countermarked Dutch Coromandel “22½ Stuivers”



1545. INDIA, Colonial. *Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company)*. 1602-1800. AR “22½ Stuivers” (31mm, 9.23 g). Pulicat in Kust van Coromandel (Dutch Coromandel) countermarked issue. Struck mid-17th century. Dutch East India Company monogram within round incuse struck on reverse of a Tabriz mint Abbasi of 5 shahis of Shah Abbas II, dated AH 1072 [AD 1661/2] (Cf. Rabino di Borgomale 189 [for type]; Farahbakhsh 89/1 var. [date]). Scholten 1204. Host coin Good Fine; countermark VF. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Bonhams (19 October 1993), lot 547.

Countermarked Issues of the Dutch East India Company for Use in Ceylon



1546. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "18 Stuivers" (23mm, 7.33 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse on reverse of a Tiflis mint Abbasi of 4 shahis of Shah Sulayman I (Safi II), dated AH 1079 [AD 1668/9] (Cf. Rabino di Borgomale 197 [for type]; Farahbakhsh –). Scholten 1285b. Host coin VF; countermark VF, toned. Very rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Ponterio 35 (12 January 1989), lot 349.

1547. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "18 Stuivers" (24mm, 7.28 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse on reverse of a Tabriz mint Abbasi of 4 shahis of Shah Abbas II, dated AH [10]68 [AD 1657/8] (Cf. Rabino di Borgomale 185 [for type]; Farahbakhsh 85/10). Scholten 1285 (host coin date unlisted). Host coin VF; countermark VF, a few scrapes on host coin, light porosity. Rare. (\$300)

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1548. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "18 Stuivers" (23mm, 7.37 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse on obverse of a Tiflis mint Abbasi of 4 shahis of Shah Abbas II, dated AH 1063 [AD 1652/3] (Cf. Rabino di Borgomale 185 [for type]; Farahbakhsh 85/7 var. [date]). Scholten 1285 (host coin date unlisted). Host coin VF; countermark VF, toned, a few stains. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 8 January 1987.

1549. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "18 Stuivers" (25mm, 7.35 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse on obverse of a Tiflis mint Abbasi of 4 shahis of Shah Abbas II, dated AH [10]76 [AD 1665/6] (Cf. Rabino di Borgomale 185 [for type]; Farahbakhsh 85/7 var. [date]). Scholten 1285 (host coin date unlisted). Host coin VF; countermark VF, darkly toned, areas of flat strike. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) XII (5 November 1987), lot 381.



1550. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "10 Stuivers" (19mm, 4.24 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse struck on reverse of 1652 Goa mint Double Tanga (Gomes 17.07). Scholten 1267. Host coin Fair; countermark VF, toned, test cut on edge. Very rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Taisei 19 (23 February 1995), lot 38; Virgil M. Brand Collection (Part 9, Sotheby's, 14 June 1985), lot 328.

1551. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "9 Stuivers" (20mm, 3.23 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse struck on reverse of a Howayza mint Mahmudi of Shah Safi I (Rabino di Borgomale 179; Farahbakhsh 76/2). Scholten 1286a. Host coin Fine; countermark VF, toned, minor flan split. Rare. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink Taisei (20 February 1992), lot 525.

1552. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "5 Stuivers" (19mm, 2.88 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse struck on obverse of 1632 Goa for Malacca mint Tanga (Gomes 11.02). Scholten 1279. Host coin Near VF; countermark VF, deeply toned, countermark poorly struck. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink Taisei (20 February 1992), lot 522.



1553. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "5 Stuivers" (19mm, 3.06 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse struck on reverse of 1631 Goa for Malacca mint Tanga (Gomes 11.01). Scholten 1280. Host coin VF; countermark VF, deeply toned, countermark poorly struck, flan flaw on reverse, spots of hard green. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Taisei 19 (23 February 1995), lot 39.

1554. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "5 Stuivers" (18mm, 2.24 g). Colombo in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1661 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, C above (for Colombo); all within round incuse struck on obverse of 164[0] Ceilão mint Tanga (Gomes 15.01). Scholten 1281. Host coin VF; countermark VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) XII (5 November 1987), lot 381.

1555. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "10 Stuivers" (21mm, 4.00 g). Galle in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1655/1665 or shortly thereafter. GAL monogram within circular incuse struck on reverse of 1652 Goa mint Double Tanga (Gomes 17.07). Scholten 1265. Host coin Fine; countermark VF, toned. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) XII (5 November 1987), lot 380.



1556. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "5 Stuivers" (20mm, 2.98 g). Galle in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1655/1665 or shortly thereafter. GAL monogram within circular incuse struck on obverse of 1632-1638 Goa for Malacca mint Tanga (Gomes 10.01-02, or 11.01-07). Scholten 1267. Host coin VF; countermark Good VF, deeply toned, pit and spots of hard green on shield. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 8 January 1987.

1557. INDIA, Colonial. Dutch India. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR "10 Stuivers" (19mm, 4.02 g). Jaffna in Ceylon (Sri Lanka) countermarked issue. Struck 1658 or shortly thereafter. Dutch East India Company monogram, I above (for Jaffna); all within round incuse struck on reverse of 16[43(?)] Goa mint Double Tanga (cf. Gomes 17.03 illustration). Scholten 1287 (date not listed). Host coin VF; countermark VF, toned, some scratches under tone. Extremely rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) XII (5 November 1987), lot 383.



1558. INDIA, Colonial. British India. Bengal Presidency. 1759-1806. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.89 g, 7h). Muhammadabad Banaras mint. Triply dated AH 1199 and RY 17/26 of Shah Alam II (AD 1784/5). Pridmore 217-8 (dates unlisted); KM 31; Friedberg 1534. In NGC encapsulation graded UNC Details, tooled. (\$1500)

1559. INDIA, Colonial. British India. Bengal Presidency. 1759-1806. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.90 g, 9h). Muhammadabad Banaras mint. Triply dated AH 1202 and RY 117/30 of Shah Alam II (AD 1787/8). Pridmore 217-8 (dates unlisted); KM 31; Friedberg 1534. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 64. (\$1500)

1560. INDIA, Colonial. British India. Bengal Presidency. 1759-1806. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.90 g, 12h). Muhammadabad Banaras mint. Triply dated AH 1202 and RY 117/30 of Shah Alam II (AD 1787/8). Pridmore 217-8 (dates unlisted); KM 31; Friedberg 1534. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 63. (\$1500)



1561. INDIA, Colonial. British India. Bengal Presidency. 1759-1806. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.89 g, 2h). Muhammadabad Banaras mint. Triply dated AH 1202; RY 17/29 of Shah Alam II (AD 1787/8). Pridmore 217-8 (dates unlisted); KM 31; Friedberg 1534. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 63. (\$1500)

1562. INDIA, Colonial. British India. Bengal Presidency. 1759-1806. AV Mohur (21mm, 10.88 g, 6h). Muhammadabad Banaras mint. Triply dated AH 1204; RY 117/32 of Shah Alam II (AD 1789/90). Pridmore 217-8 (dates unlisted); KM 31; Friedberg 1534. In NGC encapsulation graded UNC Details, surface hairlines. (\$1500)

1563. ISRAEL. 1948-pres. Proof AV 500 Lirat. Dated JE 5734 (AD 1974). David Ben Gurion. AGW: 0.8102 oz. KM 82. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 65. (\$1250)



1564. ITALY, Bologna. temp. Sante or Giovanni II Bentovoglio. 1445-1506. AR Grossone (30mm, 3.32 g, 11h). ◦ **BONONIA** ◦ **MATER** ◦ **STUDIORVM** ◦, lion rampant slightly left, holding banner; coat-of arms to left at feet / **S · PETRONIV** · **DE · BONONIA** ·, St. Petronius, wearing episcopal regalia, seated facing, holding model of city and crozier. CNI X 29; MIR 24; Biaggi 400. Near EF for issue, toned. (\$1000)



1565. ITALY, Correggio (conti). Camillo d'Austria. 1597-1605. AR Tallero da 70 Soldi (41mm, 26.48 g, 1h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1595. * MO * NO * CAM * * AVS * CO * * CC *, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below; date flanking base of shield / CONFIDENS * DNO * NON * MOVETVR * * *, lion rampant left. CNI IX 1 var. (obv. legend); MIR 147/1 var. (same); Gamberini 614 var. (same); Davenport 8268 var. (same). VF, toned. Rare. (\$750)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) VII (21 February 1985), lot 348.

1566. ITALY, Correggio (conti). Camillo d'Austria. 1597-1605. AR Tallero da 70 Soldi (43mm, 26.88 g, 9h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1600. * MO * NO * CAM * AVS * COM * C *, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below; date flanking base of shield / CONFIDENS * DNO [+] NON * MOVETVR * * *, lion rampant left. CNI IX 10; MIR 147/3 var. (same); Gamberini 617; Davenport 8268. VF, toned. (\$750)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Kunst und Münzen XXVI (13 May 1988), lot 725.



1567. ITALY, Correggio (principi). Siro d'Austria. 1616-1630. BI Fiorino (30mm, 4.45 g, 10h). * SIRI · AVSTRI · SA · RO · IM · PPIN · ETC, double-headed imperial eagle with wings displayed; crown above / * MON ETA * NO VA * CI VITAS * CO, crowned coat-of-arms. CNI IX 92-3 var. (obv. legend); MIR 187 var. (same). Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Sotheby's, 13 February 1986, lot 413.



1568. ITALY, Firenze (Repubblica). 1189-1532. AR Fiorino di Stella (20mm, 1.57 g, 12h). II Serie. Struck prior to 1260. ✱ FLORENTIA ✱, lily / ✱ S IOHANNE B ✱, S. Giovanni Battista. CNI XII 12; Bernocchi 33; MIR 38; Biaggi 783; De Wit 3678-9. EF, toned, minor deposit under tone on reverse. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection, purchased from Pegasi in 2003.



1569. ITALY, Genova. *Dorino Gattilusio, Lord of Chios, Lesbos, and Phocaea.* 1400-1449. AV Ducat (21mm, 3.48 g, 3h). •D/•E/O/L/I/E/• to left, D/V/✱ and DORINVS • G • to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them / SIT • T • XPE • DAT • Q TV REGIS • ISTA • DVCA •, Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars; pellet between feet. Schlumberger, pl. XVI, 25; Ives, pl. XII, 2; Gamberini 367. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 6 November 1991.

1570. ITALY, Genova. *Jacopo Gattilusio, Lord of Lesbos.* 1404-1428. AV Ducat (20mm, 3.29 g, 12h). Mytilene mint. •D/•M/E/T/E/L to left, D/V/✱ and IACOBUS • GAT • to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding banner between them / SIT • T XPE • DAT • Q TV REGIS • ISTA • DVCA •, Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars; pellet between feet. Schlumberger, pl. XVI, 7; Ives, pl. XII, 2; Gamberini 366. VF, lightly toned, slightly wavy flan. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 6 November 1991.



1571. ITALY, Livorno. *Cosimo III de Medici, Granduca di Toscana.* 1670-1723. AR Tollero (42mm, 27.29 g, 6h). Dated 1680. COSIMVS • III • D • G • MAG • DVX • ETRVRIÆ • VI •, crowned, draped, and armored bust right; ✱ 1680 ✱ below bust / ✱ ET FAVET ✱ ET PATET, view of the harbor of Livorno: two-story lighthouse to lower right; behind quadrate inner harbor containing docked ships; in background, buildings and fortress on either side of mouth of channel to inner city. CNI XII 14; Di Giulio –; MIR 64/3; Davenport 4214. Near EF, beautiful cabinet toning. Very rare. (\$2000)

Ex Künker 237 (8 October 2013), lot 3671.

Two Trade Luigino's from the Lasser and Salvesen Collections



1572. ITALY, Loano. Giovanni Andrea III Doria. 1654-1737. AR Luigino (20mm, 2.13 g, 6h). Dated 1665. · IO · AND · PR · DORIA · LA ·, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right / · DEVS · PROTECTOR · MEVS ·, crowned coat-of-arms; 16 65 across field. CL 162; CNI III 9; MIR 409/1. EF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 140.

1573. ITALY, Lucca. Republic. 1369-1799. AR Luigino (21mm, 2.18 g, 6h). Dated 1668. PVL CRA * VIRT VTIS * IMAGO *, draped female bust right / * * TRES * SECVRES * BONIT * VNC * QVINQ *, crowned coat-of-arms; 16 68 across field. CL 191 var. (no stops at beginning and end of rev. legend); cf. CNI XI 693 (for type) MIR 219/2 var. (rev. legend). EF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 143.



1574. ITALY, Lucca. Republic. 1369-1799. AV Zecchino (22mm, 3.43 g, 12h). Sixteenth century emission. S • VVLTV S • (DE) LV(CA), crowned and draped *Volto Santo* facing slightly left; coat-of-arms of mastro di zecca at end of legend / • S • MA R TI N V S •, Martino di Tours seated left on horseback, dividing cloak with sword held in right hand; to right, poor man standing left, partially covered in cloak. CNI XI 161; MIR 169/3; Bellesia 7/A. Good VF, toned. (\$2000)



1575. ITALY, Mantova (Duchi). Ferdinando Carlo IV Gonzaga. 1665-1708. AR 2 Lire (28mm, 6.57 g, 12h). Dated 1702. FERD · CAR · D · G · DVX · MANT · M ·, draped and cuirassed bust right / CONVENIENTIA CVIQVE 1702, trophy of arms set on ornate base; S · 80 (value) in exergue. CNI IV 42; Bignotti 11; MIR 736/2. EF, iridescent toning, small flan split, a couple of scrapes under tone. Rare. (\$3000)

Unpublished and Very Rare



1576. ITALY, Messerano (principi). Francesco Filiberto Ferrero Fieschi. 1584-1629. AR Tallero (41mm, 26.25 g, 11h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Undated, but struck 1586. * MO * NO * ARG ** (over R) DIN * N * M * C *, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / CONFIDENS * DS/N * D * NON * MOVETVR ***, lion rampant left. CNI II 3 var. (obv. legend); MIR 770 var. (same); cf. Gamberini 617 (for type); Davenport 8302 var. (obv. legend). Good VF, toned. Apparently an unpublished variety of a very rare issue. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Bostonian Collection (Leu 51, 24 October 1990), lot 1313.



1577. ITALY, Milano (Duchi). Galeazzo Maria Sforza. 1466-1476. AV Ducato (24mm, 3.47 g, 3h). Crippa Type IV. (nimbate and mitered facing head) G3 M SF VICECOS DVX MELI V, armored bust of Galeazzo Maria Sforza right; apostrophe stops / * PP ANLE Q3 CO AC IANVE D 7 C, crested helmet left above familial coat-of-arms of Sforza; branding irons with buckets to left and right; G3 and M across field. Cf. CNI V 27 (for type); Morosini 5a; Crippa 5. Near EF, minor die shift and weak strike on obverse, a few minor marks. An attractive example of a rare later issue. (\$7500)



1578. ITALY, Milano (Duchi). Gian Galeazzo Sforza. 1476-1494. AR Testone (28mm, 9.63 g, 9h). Struck under the Regency of Ludovico Maria Sforza, 1481-1494. (nimbate and mitered facing head) IO GZ 3 M SF VICECO DVX MLI SX, armored bust of Gian Galeazzo Sforza right; apostrophe stops / (nimbate and mitered facing head) LVDOVICVS PATRVVS GVBHANS, armored bust of Lodovico Maria Sforza right; apostrophe stops. Cf. CNI V 27 (for type); Morosini 8; Crippa 3. Good VF, attractive cabinet toning. (\$1500)



1579. ITALY, Milano (Duchi). Ludovico Sforza. 1494-1499. AR Testone (28mm, 9.59 g, 2h). (nimbate and mitered facing head) **LVDOVICVS M SF ANGLVS DVX MLI**, armored bust of Ludovico Sforza right; apostrophe stops / (nimbate and mitered facing head) **PP ANGLE Q3 CO AC IAHVE D 7 C**, coat-of-arms; above, crown containing palm frond and olive branch; branding irons with buckets to left and right; apostrophe stops. Cf. CNI V 19 and pl. X, 10 (same obv. die); Morosini 5; cf. Crippa 6 (for type). EF, attractive cabinet toning. (\$5000)



1580. ITALY, Milano (Duchi). Carlo I di Spagna (Carlo V, Sacro Romano Impero). 1535-1554. AR Quarto di Scudo d'Argento (27mm, 9.13 g, 12h). Struck 1552. **IMP CAES CAROLVS V AVG**, laureate and cuirassed bust right; aegis on breastplate / Two Composite Order columns set on waves with banner inscribed **PL S[V] VL [R]T A ***(sic). Cf. CNI V 57 (for type); Crippa 11/A (same dies as illustration). Good VF, darkly toned, small flan flaw on edge. Excellent strike for issue. (\$2000)



1666. ITALY, Milano (Duchi). Carlo II di Spagna. 1665-1700. AR Filippo o Carlo (41mm, 27.91 g, 7h). First Period. Dated 1666. *** CAROLVS II HISP REX ET MARIA ANNA TVT ET G**, conjoined busts of Carlo, bareheaded and wearing collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece, and Maria Anna wearing wimple, right; • 1666 • below busts / *** MEDIOLANI DVX ET C***, crowned coat-of-arms within ornate frame. CNI V 6; Crippa 2. EF, toned. Great strike for this typically poorly struck piece. (\$1000)



1582. ITALY, Mirandola. Alessandro I Pico. 1602-1637. BI Fiorino (29mm, 4.20 g, 12h). * ALEXANDER · DVX · I · MIRAND VLÆ, crowned coat-of-arms / * OMNIA * HINC * ET * HVIC, double-headed imperial eagle with wings displayed; crown above. CNI IX 94; MIR 551. Good VF, toned, minor porosity. (\$300)

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1583. ITALY, Modena. temp. Francesco I d'Este. 1629-1658. AR Scudo da 28 Bolognini per il Levante (40mm, 18.14 g, 3h). · RVET · DIVI SA · CIVITAS ·, crowned coat-of-arms (28) (value) below shield / FERIT ET TVETVR GEMINO ROSTRO, double-headed imperial eagle with wings displayed; globus cruciger inscribed 28 (value) on breast; crown above. CNI IX 261; MIR 763. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

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1584. ITALY, Napoli (Regno). Carlo III di Spagna (Carlo VI, Sacro Romano Impero). 1707-1734. AR Mezzo Ducato (33mm, 10.85 g, 12h). Second Period. Napoli (Naples) mint; Mattia de Franco, mastro di zecca, Francesco Antonio Ariani, mastro di prova. Dated 1715. · CAR · VI · D · G · ROM · IMPE ·, laureate, draped, and armored bust right; (JM) on truncation of bust / · HISP · VTRI · SICI · REX ·, crowned coat-of-arms; shield within ornate frame; MF/A to upper left; 17 15 flanking base of shield. CNI XX 7; Pannuti-Riccio 9; MIR 322. EF, iridescent toning in devices. (\$1500)



1585. ITALY, Napoli (Regno). Ferdinando IV. First Reign in Napoli, 1759-1799. AR 20 Grana (25.3mm, 4.52 g, 6h). Napoli (Naples) mint; Cesare Coppola, mintmaster, Giovanni Battista Cangiano, trial master, and Bernardo Perger, chief engraver. Dated 1790. FERDINAN · IV · SICILIAR · ET · HIE · REX, armored bust right; P · below bust / HISPANIAR INFANS 1790, crowned coat-of-arms; shield in ornate frame; C · /C · C · across field; below shield, G : 20 (denomination) flanked by palm fronds. CNI XX 175; Pannuti-Riccio 80; MIR 384/1. EF, toned, adjustment marks on obverse. Rare. (\$500)



1586. ITALY, Napoli (Regno). *Gioacchino Murat*. 1808-1815. AV 40 Lire (27mm, 12.87 g, 6h). Dated 1813. GIOACCHINO NAPOLEONE, bare head left / REGNO DELLE DUE SICILIE, 40 (diamond)•/LIRE in three lines within wreath with short branches. Edge: DIO PROTEGGE •• IL •• REGNO •. CNI XX 50; Pannuti-Riccio 9; Pagani 55b; MIR 439; Friedberg 589. EF, traces of underlying luster, typical striking weakness. (\$750)



1587. ITALY, Papale (Stato pontificio). *Leo IV*. 847-855. AR Denaro (23mm, 1.45 g, 1h). Rome mint. ✠ • ΛCΛ • PIETRVΛ, LEO PAPA monogram / ✠ HLOTHARIVΛ, IMPA monogram; pellet above, two pellets below. Depeyrot 867R; MEC 1, 1042-3; CNI XV 1; Muntoni 2 var. (obv. legend); Berman 26. EF, toned. (\$3000)

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1588. ITALY, Papale (Stato Pontificio-Senato Romano). *Anonymous issues*. 14th century. AV Ducat (20mm, 3.52 g, 3h). Second period. Rome mint. S•/P•C•T•R•V•S•/• to left, R•C•S and A•T•O•R • V•R•B•I•S • to right, S. Pietro standing right and Senator kneeling left, holding banner between them / • ✠ ROIIA APTVT •• II•V•D•I, S•P•Q•R•/(facing head of Christ)•, Christ standing facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, surrounded by mandorla containing nine stars. CNI XV 557/563 (obv./rev.); cf. Ives, pl. VII (for type); Gamberini 391; Berman 150. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

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1589. ITALY, Papale (Stato pontificio). *Innocent VI*. 1352-1362. AR Demi Gros (22mm, 1.61 g, 2h). Avignon mint. • • ♣ • INNOCEN • PP • SE•T•V•S •, Innocent, in papal regalia, enthroned facing, raising right hand in benediction and holding cross-tipped staff; throne ends in lions / ✠ • SH NTVS PET RVVS, long cross pattée; ✠ in quarters. CNI –; Muntoni 3; Poey d'Avant 4160; Berman 192; De Wit –. Near EF, toned. Well struck. (\$500)

From the RAJ Collection, purchased from Charles H. Wolfe III, 1998.



1590. ITALY, Papale (Stato pontificio). Cardinal Pietro Barbo (later Pope Paul II). 1451-1464. Æ Medal (34mm, 30.82 g, 6h). On the construction of Palazzo San Marco (Palazzo Venezia) in Rome. Dated 1455. PETRVS BARBVS VENETVS CARDINALIS S MARCI, bust left, wearing zucchetto and mantum / HAS AEDES CONDIDIT ANNO CHRISTI MCCCCLV, Barbo coat-of-arms surmounted by galero. CNORP I, p. 228; Serenissima 12; Hill, *Italian* 737; Kress 206. Good VF, mahogany patina. (\$750)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 69 (8 June 2005), lot 2075.



1591. ITALY, Papale (Stato pontificio). Alexander VII. 1655-1667. AR Luigino – Douzième d'Écu (21mm, 2.20 g, 3h). Avignon mint. Dated 1662. FLAVI[VS] CARD · GHISIVS · LEGA · AVE ·, bareheaded bust right, wearing talare; · ✱ · below bust / ✱ EX ✱ MONTIBVS ✱ PAX ✱ ORIETVR ✱ I66[2 ✱ ·], coat-of-arms within ornate angled quadrilobe. CL 013a/013 (obv./rev.); cf. Muntoni 44-5 (for type); Berman 1958. VF, toned. (\$200)

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1592. ITALY, Papale (Stato pontificio). Innocent XII. 1691-1700. AR Piastra (44mm, 31.97 g, 12h). Commemorating the Restoration of the Harbor at Anzio. By G. Hamerani. Dated RY 8 and 1699 (*in Roman numerals*). INNOCEN XII PONT M A VIII, bust right, wearing zucchetto, mozzetta, and mantum; HAMERANVS · F below bust triskeles stops / VENTI ET MARE OBEDIVNT EI, view of Harbor of Anzio seen from elevated perspective on high ground with traces of tree to lower right; three ships under sail in distance along horizon line; clouds above; in exergue below molding, MD CIC separated by arms of Cardinal mintmaster; triskeles stops. CNI XVI 122; Muntoni 25; Berman 2232; Davenport 4109. Good VF, toned. (\$2000)



1593. ITALY, Pavia. Enrico II il Santo. Emperor, 1014-1024. AR Denaro (17mm, 1.30 g, 6h). Papia (Pavia) mint. ✱ HENRICVS IMPR, cross pattée; pellets in quarters / PAPIA across field; behind, staff surmounted by cross pattée. CNI IV 7; MIR 834; Biaggi 1830. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection.



1594. ITALY, Sardegnia (Regno). Pietro IV di Aragona. 1336-1387. AR Reale o Grosso Alfonsino (25mm, 3.21 g, 5h). Class A. Villa di Chiesa (Iglesias) mint. ✠ PETRVS ARAGONVM ET SARDINIE REX, coat-of-arms; five rosettes around; all with tressure of eight arches; pellet at juncture of each arch; annulets in spandrels / ✠ FORTITUDO ET LAUS MEA DOMINVS, cross pattée; rosettes in quarters; all within tressure of eight arches; pellet at juncture of each arch; annulets in spandrels. CNI II 2; MIR –; MEC 14, 832. EF, toned. Good metal and well struck. (\$500)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex CNG Inventory 725117 (March 2001).

Very Rare Tassarolo “Leeuwendaalder”



1595. ITALY, Tassarolo (conti). Filippo Spinola. 1616-1688. AR Tallero da 96 Soldi (40mm, 26.21 g, 7h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). · MON · DA · SOL · 96 · COM · PALAT · ·, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / CONF + IN + DOM + NON + PERIB + IN + ETER + ✠✠, lion rampant left. CNI II 56; MIR 986; Gamberini 633; Davenport 4183. VF, toned. Very rare. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) X (6 November 1986), lot 457.



1596. ITALY, Toscana (Granducato). Ferdinando II de' Medici. 1621-1670. AR Piastra d'Argento (45mm, 32.56 g, 6h). Fourth Series. Dated 1630. ✠ FERDIN · II · MAGN · DVX · ETRVRIÆ ·, bareheaded, draped, and armored, half-length bust right, wearing ornate collar; Maltese Cross on breastplate; ✠ 1630 ✠ below bust / · S · IOANNE S · B APTISTA ·, S. Giovanni Battista standing facing in desert, head left, pointing upwards and holding cruciform staff with banner; · 1630 · in exergue. CNI XII 60; Di Giulio 85; MIR 291/3; Davenport 4200. Good VF, toned, typical weak strike in hair on obverse, traces of flan stress on reverse. Rare. (\$1500)



1597. ITALY, Toscana (Granducato). Cosimo III de' Medici. 1670-1723. AR Piastra d'Argento (44mm, 31.46 g, 6h). Firenze (Florence) mint. Dated 1684. COSIMVS · III · D · G · MAG · DVX · ETRVRIÆ · VI ✚ 1684 ✚, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right / FILIVS MEVS DILECTVS, San Giovanni Battista, standing left, holding cross, pouring water over the head of Christ, standing right, holding lamb; the river Jordan at their feet. CNI XII 68 ; Di Giulio 124; MIR 329/3. Choice EF, attractive cabinet toning. Well struck with great surfaces. (\$3000)



1598. ITALY, Toscana (Granducato). Leopoldo I. 1765-1790. AR Tallero per il Levante (41mm, 28.10 g, 6h). Firenze (Florence) mint; Luigi Siries, engraver. Dated 1774. P. LEOP. D. G. P. R. H. ET B. A. A. M. D. ETR., bareheaded, armored, and draped bust right; L. S. F. at truncation of bust / IN TE DOMINE SPERAVI 1774 ✚, crowned coat-of-arms with crowned eagle supporters set on ornate perches; shield within Collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece. Edge: (three-link chain) IVSTITIA (three-link chain) (three-link chain) ET (floral design) PAX (three-link chain) ✚. CNI XII 52; MIR 401/6; Davenport 1513; C 23. EF, light hairlines, small flan split. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Ponterio 119 (6 April 2002), lot 1670.



1599. ITALY, Venezia (Venice). Francesco Morosini. 1688-1694. AR Quarto di leone per il Levante (30mm, 6.15 g, 11h). Iseppo Baseggio, maestro di zecca. Struck 1691-1699. S/-M/-V/E/N/E/T/- to left, D/V/X and FRAN · MAVROC to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding cross-tipped staff between them; · F · B · in exergue / FIDES · ET · VICTORIA, Lion of San Marco standing right on ground line on hind legs, head facing left, holding palm frond in left hand and Latin cross in right. CNI VIII 57 var. (obv. legend); Papadopoli 86; Paolucci 22. VF, toned, flan crack. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 106.



1600. ITALY, Venezia (Venice). Francesco Morosini. 1688-1694. AR Osella (35mm, 9.81 g, 6h). Commemorating the Lifetime Awarding of a Bronze Bust of the Doge by the Venetian Senate and Erected in the Sala d'Armi del Consiglio dei Dieci. Dated RY 4 (1691). · S · M · FRANC · MAVROCE · DVX ·, S. Marco enthroned right, blessing Doge, who kneels left, holding banner; ⌘ ANNO · IV ⌘ · I · B · in two lines in exergue / MAVROCE · PELOPON ESIACO · VIVENTI · S · C ·, half-length facing bust of Francesco Morosini, dressed as admiral and holding baton in right hand, set on coat-of-arms and military equipment; all set on ornate base with additional arms and banners behind. CNI VIII 119; Paolucci, *Zecca* 174; Werdnig 171. Good VF, attractive cabinet toning, minor die shift on obverse. (\$1500)



1601. ITALY, Venezia (Venice). Silvestro Valiero. 1694-1700. AR Leone per il Levante (42mm, 26.94 g, 5h). Francesco Trevisan, maestro di zecca. Struck 1694. · / S / · M / · V / E / N / E / T / V to left, D / V / X and SILV · VALERIO to right, S. Marco standing right and Doge kneeling left, holding cross-tipped staff between them; ★ F · T ★ in exergue / FIDES · ET · VICTORIA ⌘, Lion of San Marco standing right on ground line on hind legs, head facing left, holding palm frond in left hand and Latin cross in right. CNI VIII 55; Papadopoli 72; Paolucci 23; Davenport 4287. VF, toned, minor metal stress. (\$500)

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1602. ITALY, Venezia (Venice). Francesco Loredano. 1752-1762. AR Tallero per il Levante (40mm, 28.41 g, 6h). Dated J756. ⌘ REPUBBLICA VENETA ⌘, draped bust of *La Serenissima* right, wearing *corno ducale* / ⌘ FRANC : LOREDANO DUCE J756 ⌘, Lion of San Marco rampant left within scalloped frame. Edge: /////. CNI VIII 77/81 (obv./rev. – CNI has obv. and rev. reversed); cf. Papadopoli 55 (for type); Paolucci 28; Davenport 1552; C 18. Good VF, toned, trace of underlying luster. Rare. (\$500)

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1603. ITALY, Venezia (Provincia Veneta). Francesco II d'Asburgo-Lorena. Holy Roman Emperor, 1792-1806. AR Lira (25.5mm, 4.62 g, 12h). Occupation Coinage. Venezia mint. Dated 1800. Crowned double-headed eagle, FII in circle on breast / UNA/LIRA/VENETA/1800 in four lines; all within wreath. Pagani 6; C 161. UNC, lightly toned, haymarks. (\$500)



1604. ITALY, Venezia (Venice). Repubblica di San Marco (Governo Provvisorio). 1848-1849. AR 5 Lire (37.5mm, 24.96 g, 6h). Venezia (Venice) mint; A. Fabris, engraver. Dated 1848 (*in Roman numerals*). REPUBBLICA VENETA ★ 22 MARZO 1848 ★, Lion of San Marco standing left on ground, resting forepaw upon open Gospel inscribed PAX/TIBI/MAR/CE EVAN/GELI/STA/MEVS; A. FABRIS F. below / UNIONE ITALIANA, 5/LIRE in two lines within laurel and oak wreath; V (mintmark) in exergue. Edge: DIO BENEDITE L'ITALIA ★. Pagani 177a; Gigante 2 note; Montenegro 91; Lissner 545. Superb EF, proof-like surfaces, lustrous. Extremely rare. (\$1000)

The Lissner specimen of this extremely rare issue realized \$2250.



1605. ITALY, Verona. Federico II di Svevia. 1218-1250. AR Grosso da 20 Denari (20mm, 1.65 g, 11h). ★CI★VI★CI★VI, cross pattée over large annulet; VF ROHT in outer voids / ★✠★VE★RO★HT★✠, cross pattée over large annulet; CI VI CI VF in outer voids. CNI VI 34; Biaggi 2971; De Wit 3609. Near EF, toned. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Elsen 23 (14 December 1991), lot 434.



1606. ITALY, Regno delle Due Sicilie. Ferdinando II. 1830-1859. AR 60 Grana (31mm, 13.82 g, 6h). Napoli mint. Dated 1856. FERDINANDVS II. DEI GRATIA REX, bearded bare head right / REGNI VTR. SIC. ET HIER, crowned coat-of-arms. CNI XX 329; Pannuti-Riccio 110; MIR 507/9; Pagani 248. UNC. (\$300)



1607. ITALY, Regno d'Italia. Vittorio Emanuele III. 1900-1946. AR 20 Lire (35.5mm, 20.00 g, 6h). Roma mint. Dated 1928 R. VITT • EM • III • RE •, helmeted bust left / ITALIA, fasces with lion head right. Pagani 680; KM 70. UNC, toned. (\$1000)



1608. KOREA, Republic of Korea. 1948-present. Lot of two (2) AV Denominations. Valcambi mint. Dated 1970. Lot includes the following denominations: (a) AV 2500 Won (26mm, 9.56 g, 6h). KM 15.1 // (b) AV 1000 Won (8mm, 3.84 g, 6h). KM 14.1. Both coins Proof. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Two (2) coins in lot. (\$750)



Enlargement of Lot 1609



Enlargement of Lot 1610



Enlargement of Lot 1611

Three Early Dated Brabant Dubbel Vuurijzers



1609



1610



1611



1609. LOW COUNTRIES, Brabant. *Filips I de Schone (the Handsome)*. 1482-1506. AR Dubbel Vuurijzer (28mm, 3.11 g, 1h). Antwerpen (Antwerp) mint. Dated 1482. ✱ ΜΟΝ' • ΑΡΧΗΔΟΥ' • ΑΥ' • ΕΥΡ' • ΒΡ' • ΛΙ' • Ζ, two lions rampant combatant; briquet above / ✱ ΔΥΡ' • ΠΑΤΑΡΔ • ΕΛΒ' ΑΠΤ' • Ι' • ΒΡΑ' • ΙΩ8Ζ, coat-of-arms over cross fleurée. Levinson II-64a. Good VF, toned, some copper oxides. Rare. (\$300)

610. LOW COUNTRIES, Brabant. *Filips I de Schone (the Handsome)*. 1482-1506. AR Dubbel Vuurijzer (27.5mm, 2.91 g, 12h). Antwerpen (Antwerp) mint. Dated 1482. ✱ ΜΟΝΑΤΑ • ΔΥΑ' • ΑΥΣΤ' • ΛΟΤ' • ΒΡΑΒ' • ΛΙ' • ΖΑ', two lions rampant combatant; briquet above / ✱ ΣΑΛΥΥ • ΕΛΑ • ΠΡΕΛΜ • ΤΥΥ • ΔΝΘ • Α • ΙΩ8Ζ, coat-of-arms over cross fleurée. Levinson II-64c. VF, toned, some copper oxides, a few light marks. Very rare. (\$300)

1611. LOW COUNTRIES, Brabant. *Filips I de Schone (the Handsome)*. 1482-1506. AR Dubbel Vuurijzer (28mm, 3.00 g, 4h). Antwerpen (Antwerp) mint. Dated 1500. † ΡΗ'Σ • ΔΕΙ • ΘΡΑ' • ΑΡΧΗΔ • ΑΥΣΤΑ • ΔΥΧ • ΕΥΡΘ • ΒΡΑ' • Ζ, crowned coat-of-arms within polylobe / ω ΟΜΝΙΣ • ΣΠΙΡΙΤΥΣ • ΛΑΥΔΕΤ • ΔΟΜΙΝΥΜ • ΑΝΘ • Ι500, cross fleurée, with lion rampant left at center. Levinson II-153b. VF, toned, areas of double strike. (\$200)



1612. LOW COUNTRIES, Vlaanderen (Flanders). *Lodewijk II van Male*. 1346-1384. AR Dubbele Groot Botdrager (31mm, 4.09 g, 4h). Gent or Mechelen mint. Struck 1365-1384. LUDOVICVS • DEI • ΘΡΑ' • ΑΘΜΕΣ • F • ΔΝΣ • ΕΛΛΑΝΔΡΙΑ, helmeted lion seated left; all within a tressure of fifteen arches / ✱ ΒΕΝΕΔΙCΤΥΣ • ΩΥΙ • ΒΕΝΙΤ • ΙΗ • ΗΘΜΙΝΕ • ΔΟΜΙΝΙ/✱ ΜΟΝΕΤΑ • ΔΕ • ΕΛΛΑΝΔΡΙΑ, cross fleurée. Elsen 30; De Mey, *Flanders* 218; Vanhoudt G 2606; cf. Den Duyts 173 (for type). Good VF, toned. Well struck. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffre Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group XXVI (11 June 1993), lot 752.

Two Early Dated Coins from Flanders



1613. LOW COUNTRIES, Vlaanderen (Flanders [Graafschap]). *Maria van Bourgondië*. 1477-1482. AR Dubbel vuurijzer (27mm, 2.94 g, 8h). Brugge (Bruges) mint. Dated 1478. * MARIÆ * DVCISSÆ * B G * COMIT * F, two lions rampant combatant; briquet above / * SALVU * FID * PPLM * TVV * DNE 1478, coat-of-arms over cross fleury. Levinson II-34. Good VF, toned. (\$300)



1614. LOW COUNTRIES, Vlaanderen (Flanders). *Filips III de Schone (the Handsome)*. 1482-1506. Æ Dubbel Mite (19mm, 0.80 g, 7h). Gent (Gand) mint. Dated 1489. * PHS' * DEI * GR' * [DVX * B * C]O * FL', coat-of-arms / * IN * OSMINO * CONFID * 1489, cross fleury; lis at center. Levinson II-120. VF, dark green and brown patina, some scratches, earthen deposits, slightly wavy flan. Clear date. Rare. (\$200)



1615. LOW COUNTRIES, Spaanse Nederlanden (Spanish Netherlands). *Unie van Utrecht (Union of Utrecht)*. 1579-1581. AV Gouden kroon – Couronne d'or (27mm, 3.28 g, 7h). Antwerpen mint. Dated 1581. (sun) · PHS · D : G · HISPZ REX · DVX · BRA · I581 ·, ornate cross fleury with central fleur; each bar ending in lis; in opposite quarters, vuurijzer and lion rampant left / DOMINVS · MIHI · ADIVTOR (hand), crowned royal coat-of-arms; P to left and right of shield. Vanhoudt I 90; G&H 209-1b; Delmonte, *Brabant*, –; Delmonte 124. Good VF. (\$2000)

Ex Elsen 35 (2 July 1994), lot 393.

Defeat of the Spanish Armada



1616. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). 1581-1795. Æ Rekenpenning (29mm, 5.53 g, 9h). Commemorating the Defeat of the Spanish Armada. Dated 1588. ⌘ HOMO · PROPONIT · DEVS · DISPONIT · (*Man proposes; God disposes*), father, mother, and two children kneeling left on ground line in prayer; above, radiance emanating from clouds above; • 1588 • in exergue / ♦ HISPANI · FVGIVT · ET · PEREVT · NEMINE · SEQVETE (*the Spaniards are in flight and perish with no one in pursuit*), ship under sail right, breaking up; Ωs over second V of FVGIVT, V of PEREVT, and second E of SEQVETE. Dugnoille 3188; Van Loon I 386; MI 147/116; Eimer 60. Good VF, brown patina. (\$200)

The English Gunpowder Plot of 1605



1617. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). 1581-1795. Æ Rekenpenning (29mm, 5.75 g, 8h). Commemorating the Discovery and Failure of the Gunpowder Plot. Dated 1605 *in chronogram on reverse*. *DETECTVS · QVI · LATVIT · S · C · (He who hid is found out S C [by a decree of Parliament]), coiled serpent right, surrounded by roses and lilies / *NON DORMITASTI ANTISTES IACOBI (you heads of James' church have not slept [adapted from Psalms]), radiate יהוה (YHWH in Hebrew [tetragrammaton]) within crown of thorns. Dugnoille 3599; Van Loon II 22; MI 196/19; Eimer 86. EF, brown surfaces. (\$500)



1618. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Overijssel. 1581-1795. AR Leeuwendaalder (41mm, 26.83 g, 2h). Dated 1633. · MO · ARG · PRO · CON FOE · BELG · TARN (*sic*), armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / · CONFIDENS · DON · NON · MOVEIVR · 1633 (*sic*), lion rampant left; pellet in O of MOVEIVR. Purmer Ov37; Delmonte 856; CNM 2.38.63; cf. Davenport 4860 (for type). Fine, toned, weakly struck. (\$300)

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1619. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (44mm, 32.19 g, 12h). Hoorn in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1728. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1728, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 40; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. EF, attractively toned. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex van der Dussen/Westerhof I (14 December 1984), lot 1232.



1620. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.33 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1729. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1729, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 22; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. Near EF, toned, minor roughness on edge. Very rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex World-Wide Coins of California (James F. Elmen) VII (21 February 1985), lot 502.

1621. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (44mm, 32.38 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1730/29. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1730, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 23; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13 (all refs. for 1730 only). Good VF, toned. Very rare with traces of underdate. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex L. Schulman 12 (18 April 1994), lot 549.



1622. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.65 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1733. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1733, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Edge: plain. Scholten 26a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. EF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Westerhof 7 (15 December 1987), lot 1145.



1623. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. Proof AR Doit (23mm, 2.58 g, 12h). Deventer in Holland mint; mm: rosette. Dated 1736/5. Crowned coat-of-arms / Large Dutch East India Company monogram; above, pellets flanking rosette; 1736/5 below. Edge: plain. Scholten 124; cf. N&C 21a (example in copper). Near EF, toned. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Rarcoa [33] (17 March 1983), lot 929.

1624. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.62 g, 12h). Kampen in Overijssel mint; mm: crane left. Coenraad Hendrick Cramer, muntmeester. Dated 1737. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : TRANSI : IN USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA · RES · PARVÆ · CRESCUNT · 1737, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 59; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1068; N&C 13. EF, lightly toned. Very rare. (\$750)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Taisei, 8 March 1991.



1625. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.18 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 27; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. Good VF, lightly toned. Very rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex J. Schulman 289 (7 March 1989), lot 320.

1626. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.70 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 27; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. Good VF, toned, minor porosity. Very rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Leu FPL (Summer 1992), no. 479.



1627. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.49 g, 12h). Middleburg in Zeeland mint; mm: six-rayed star. Dated 1738. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · ZEEL · IN · USUM · SOCIET · IND · ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 36 var. (pellet before mintmark); Delmonte, *Argent*, 1062; N&C 13. EF, attractive cabinet tone. Very rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink-Taisei 8 (22 February 1990), lot 389.



1628. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (40mm, 32.26 g, 12h). Enkhuizen in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO. WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 42a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. Fine. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex J. Schulman 289 (7 March 1989), lot 334.

1629. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.04 g, 12h). Harderwijk in Gelderland mint; mm: horse left with forelegs on hill. J. Hensbergen, muntmeester. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : D : GEL · & · C · Z · IN USUM : SOCIET · IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame; star or rosette dividing date. Scholten 53a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1066; N&C 13. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 28; J. Schulman 275 (1 October 1982), lot 480.



1630. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 31.97 g, 12h). Harderwijk in Gelderland mint; mm: horse left with forelegs on hill. J. Hensbergen, muntmeester. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : D : GEL · & · C · Z · IN USUM : SOCIET · IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 53a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1066; N&C 13. Fine, toned. Very rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex L. Schulman 2 (20 March 1989), lot 469.

1631. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 31.70 g, 12h). Kampen in Overijssel mint; mm: crane left. Coenraad Hendrick Cramer, muntmeester. Dated 1738. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : TRANSI : IN USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA · RES · PARVÆ · CRESCUNT · 1738, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Edge: plain. Scholten 60a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1068; N&C 13. Near VF, toned, numerous bag marks. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex van der Dussen/Westerhof 1 (14 December 1984), lot 1233.



1632. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.34 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1739. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : HOLL : IN : USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1739, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 28a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. VF, toned, a few light scratches under tone. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink-Taisei 3 (11 February 1988), lot 463.

1633. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.28 g, 12h). Middleburg in Zeeland mint; mm: six-rayed star. Dated 1739. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · ZEEL · IN · USUM · SOCIET · IND · ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA · RES · PARVÆ · CRESCUNT · 1739, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 37 b/a (obv./rev.); Delmonte, *Argent*, 1062; N&C 13. Fine, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 10 August 1989.



1634



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1634. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (41mm, 31.89 g, 12h). Enkhuizen in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1739. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · WESTF · IN USUM SOCIET · IND · ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1739, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Edge: \\\\. Cf. Scholten 43b; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Westerhof 9 (28 March 1992), lot 786.

1635. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.52 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1740. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · HOLL · IN · USUM · SOCIET · IND · ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below; L : IN of legend below shield / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1740, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 29b; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex L. Schulman 14 (3 April 1995), lot 1326.



1636



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1636. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 31.33 g, 12h). Dordrecht in Holland mint. Dated 1740. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · HOLL · IN · USUM · SOCIET · IND · ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below; L : IN of legend below shield / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1740, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 29b; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1061; N&C 13. Near VF, toned, graffiti in obverse fields. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Westerhof 9 (28 March 1992), lot 785.

1637. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (41mm, 32.53 g, 12h). Enkhuizen in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1740/39. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · WESTF · IN USUM SOCIET · IND · ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1740, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Edge: \\\\. Cf. Scholten 44d; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. Good VF, attractively toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Baldwin's 15 (13 October 1997), lot 91.



1638. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (41mm, 31.81 g, 12h). Enkhuizen in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1740. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1740, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Edge: /////. Cf. Scholten 44 (for type); Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. VF, areas of light toning, a few chopmarks. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Taisei 27 (3 September 1998), lot 726.

1639. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.43 g, 12h). Middleburg in Zeeland mint; mm: six-rayed star. Dated 1741. MON · FÆD · BELG · PRO · ZELL · IN · USUM · SOCIET · IND · ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA · RES · PARVÆ · CRESCUNT · 1741, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 39a; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1062; N&C 13. EF, attractively toned. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Baldwin's, 1985.



1640. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.55 g, 12h). Enkhuizen or Medemblik in West-Friesland mint; mm: turnip. J. Knol, muntmeester. Dated 1741. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, left on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1741, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 45; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1064; N&C 13. VF, weakly struck at center of coin. (\$300)

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1641. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (43mm, 32.56 g, 12h). Medemblik in West-Friesland mint; mm: cockerel left. T. Kist, muntmeester. Dated 1742. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1742, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 47; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1065; N&C 13. Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 27; purchased from J. Schulman, 1977.



1642. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. Proof AR Doit (22mm, 4.13 g, 12h). Utrecht mint; mm: coat-of-arms. Dated 1742. Crowned coat-of-arms with lion supporters; all set on ground line / Large Dutch East India Company monogram; above, pellets flanking coat-of-arms; 1742 below. Edge: \\\\. Scholten 321; cf. N&C 21e (example in copper). Superb EF, lustrous. Rare. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Downie-Lepczyk 64 (2 December 1985), lot 542.



1643. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.43 g, 12h). Medemblik in West-Friesland mint; mm: cockerel left. T. Kist, muntmeester. Dated 1746. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1746, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten –; Delmonte, *Argent*, cf. 1065 (for type); cf. N&C 13 (same). VF, toned. Extremely rare, possibly unique. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink-Taisei 8 (22 February 1990), lot 389.



1644. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.38 g, 12h). Medemblik in West-Friesland mint; mm: cockerel left. T. Kist, muntmeester. Dated 1748. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM : SOCIET : IND : ORIENT, armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT 1748, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 48; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1065; N&C 13. VF, toned. Very rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from J. Schulman, 18 August 1986.



1645. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.44 g, 12h). Medemblik in West-Friesland mint; mm: cockerel left. T. Kist, muntmeester. Dated 1750. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / · CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1750, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 50; Delmonte, *Argent*, 1065; N&C 13. EF, lightly toned. Very rare. (\$1000)

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1646. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (42mm, 32.58 g, 12h). Medemblik or Hoorn in West-Friesland mint; mm: cockerel left. T. Kist, muntmeester. Dated 1751. MON : FÆD : BELG : PRO : WESTF : IN USUM SOCIET : IND : ORIENT., armored knight, brandishing sword in right hand, right on galloping horse; crowned coat-of-arms below / CONCORDIA RES PARVÆ CRESCUNT · 1751, crowned coat-of-arms of the Dutch Republic with crowned lion supporters; below, Dutch East India Company monogram within ornate frame. Scholten 51 var. (no pellet after CRESCUNT); Delmonte, *Argent*, 1065; N&C 13. VF, toned with areas of iridescence. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Spink-Taisei 3 (11 February 1988), lot 464.



1647. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. Proof AR Doit (22mm, 3.43 g, 12h). Gelderland mint; mm: crane left. Dated 1757. IN DEO SP. NOS, crowned coat-of-arms / Large Dutch East India Company monogram; above, pellets flanking crane left; 1757 below. Edge: //\\\\. Scholten 285b; cf. N&C pl. IV, 22d (half doit). Superb EF, lustrous. Rare. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex van der Dussen/Westerhof 1 (14 December 1984), lot 1254.



1648. LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. Proof AR Doit (22mm, 2.92 g, 12h). Deventer in Holland mint; mm: rosette. Dated 1761. Crowned coat-of-arms / Large Dutch East India Company monogram; above, pellets flanking rosette; 1761 below. Edge: /////. Scholten 140; cf. N&C 21a (example in copper). Superb EF, lustrous. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex van der Dussen/Westerhof 1 (14 December 1984), lot 1249.



1649. LUXEMBOURG. Jose de Moravia. 1388-1402 and 1407-1411. AR Gans (27mm, 2.80 g, 10h). 1st emission. Struck 1388-1397. * IODOC' OTRCH' • Z : DHS' • MORTVIE, coat-of-arms within angled trilobe; faces in O and Os except first O of IODOC'; • in crossbars of Ts / * BHDICT' • SIT : NOO EN : DHI' • IhV' • *PI' • /OON ETX : LUC EHB', long cross pattée; faces in O and O of OON ETX, and A of LUC EHB'; • in crossbar of T. Weiller 157a; De Mey, *Luxembourg* 170. EF, iridescent toning. (\$500)

From the RAJ Collection, purchased from Pegasi at 2000 CICF.



1650. MALAY ARCHIPELIGO, Colonial. Java. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Rupee (27mm, 12.47 g, 12h). Mint unnamed, but struck at Batavia (Jakarta). Dated 1766. *ila djazirat/Djawa al-kabir* (For the island/of Java the Great) in Malay-Arabic in two lines; above, pelleted cross (mintmark) above; 1766 below / *dirham min/Kompani/Welandawi* (Dirham of the Holland/Company) in Malay-Arabic in three lines. Edge: /////. Scholten 458a; N&C 20b. EF, toned. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex van der Dussen/Westerhof 3 (3 June 1985), lot 964.

1651. MALAY ARCHIPELIGO, Colonial. Java. Vereenigde Oostindische Compagnie (Dutch East India Company). 1602-1800. AR Rupee (27mm, 12.28 g, 12h). Mint unnamed, but struck at Batavia (Jakarta). Dated 1766. *ila djazirat/Djawa al-kabir* (For the island/of Java the Great) in Malay-Arabic in two lines; above, cross composed of four wedges (mintmark); 1766 below / *dirham min/Kompani/Welandawi* (Dirham of the Holland/Company) in Malay-Arabic in three lines. Edge: /////. Scholten 458e; cf. N&C 20b (for type). Good VF, toned. (\$200)

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1652. MALAYSIA, Federal Monarchy. 1957-pres. AV 500 Ringgit. Dated 1976. Malaysian tapir. AGW: 0.9675 oz. KM 21. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 63. (\$1500)



1653. MALTA, Sovereign Military Order of Malta. Jean Parisot de Valette. Grand Master, 1557-1568. AR 4 Tari (34mm, 11.38 g, 3h). * PROPTER VERITATEM IVSTICIAM, severed head of Baptist on oval charger / * F' IOANNES DE VALLETTE · M · HIE, coat-of-arms. Restelli 27; Schembri 2. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Michael Joffe Collection.



1654. MEXICO, Colonial. Carlos IV. King of Spain, 1788-1808. Gilt Æ Medal (42mm, 33.80 g, 12h). Commemorating the Accession of Carlos IV by the Archdiocese of Puebla de los Angeles. Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint. By Geronimo Antonio Gil. Struck 1789-1790. IN * DIE * INAUGURATIONIS * DOMINI * NTRI * CAROLI * QUARTI *, laureate bust right, wearing the Orden de Carlos III / * ANGELOPOLITANA * ECCLESIA * SEDE * VACANTE *, coat-of-arms of the archdiocese with laurel supporters, shield in ornate frame set on tablet; GIL to left. Grove, *Medals*, C-131b. Choice EF, slight double strike on obverse, some hairlines. (\$750)



1655. MEXICO, Segunda República. 1867-1905. AR 8 Reales (39mm, 26.98 g, 6h). Guanajuato mint. Dated 1883 (B over S)R. D&P G65; Grove 3623; KM 377.8. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$300)

1656. MEXICO, Segunda República. 1867-1905. AR 8 Reales (39mm, 26.98 g, 6h). Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint. Dated 1874 MH. D&P Mo58; Grove 3937; KM 377.10. Superb EF, lustrous. (\$300)



1657. MONACO. Louis I. 1662-1701. AR 5 Sols – Douzième d'écu (21mm, 2.25 g, 6h). Dated 1665. · LVD · I · D · G · * · PRIN · MONOECI · & ·, bareheaded and draped bust left / FLORENT CVM · LILIO · AN · DO · 1665 ·, crowned coat-of-arms; crown containing two palm fronds and surmounted by lis. CL 268; CNI III 20; MIR 473; Charlet 78. EF, toned, some haymarking on obverse, small flan flaw on reverse. Rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 145.

An Enigmatic Halve Daalder



1658. NORTHERN EUROPE, Uncertain. AR “Halve daalder” (33mm, 11.96 g, 9h). Imitating a mint Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1640. MO AR · G P[R]JO ✠ N · FOE · B · ELG NEL ✠, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / CONEI ✠ DENS ✠ DNO NOO ✠ NMTE 1640 ✠, lion rampant left; 4 in legend angled to appear as a 9. Cf. P&W Ze 31 (for obv.; Zeeland), or Purmer Ge57 (same; Gelderland); otherwise unpublished. Fine, toned. Very rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex R. Schulman 294 (10 February 1993), lot 900 (there attributed as Unknown Italian [?] Imitation).

Two Philippine Piloncitos



1659. PHILIPPINES, Kingdom of Ma-Yi. 9th-11th centuries AD. AV Piloncito – Masa (8mm, 2.75 g). *Ma* in late Brahmi or early Tagalog / Globular surface. De Legarda p. 8; Mitchiner, *South* 739-40 var. (rev. type); Basso p. 6. VF. Rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Ponterio 40 (27 January 1990), lot 1216.

1660. PHILIPPINES, Kingdom of Ma-Yi. 9th-11th centuries AD. AV Piloncito – Masa (8.5mm, 2.28 g). *Ma* in late Brahmi or early Tagalog / Globular surface. De Legarda p. 8; Mitchiner, *South* 739-40 var. (rev. type); Basso p. 6. VF. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Ponterio 40 (27 January 1990), lot 1217.



1661. PHILIPPINES, Repúblika ng Pilipinas. 1946-pres. Proof AV 5000 Piso. Manila mint. Dated 1977. New Society Anniversary. AGW: 1.9890 oz. KM 220. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 66 ULTRA CAMEO. (\$3000)

Possibly Unique Efimok Novodel



1662. RUSSIA, Tsardom of Rus. Alexei Mikhailovich Romanov. 1645-1676. AR Efimok (42mm, 27.68 g, 12h). Novodel issue. Dated 1655. A 3rd issue Brussel mint patagon of Albrecht en Isabella (struck 1612-1621) countermarked on reverse with two punches: horseman right, monogram below, all within circular incuse, and 1655 in rectangular incuse. For coin: cf. Vanhoudt I 408; for c/ms: Efimki 751-753; Kaim I p. 126-129. Host Coin and countermarks EF, attractive cabinet toning, marks on edge. Extremely rare, possibly unique novodel issue. (\$7500)

Ex Maison Palombo 12 (6 December 2013), lot 707.



1663. RUSSIA, Empire. Petr I Alexeyevich Velikiy (Peter the Great). 1682-1725. AR Rouble (42mm, 27.95 g, 12h). Kadashevsky mint. Dated 1719 (OCS date). ЦРЬ · ПЕТРЪ · АЛЕΞΙΕВΙЧЪ · ВСЕА РОСИИ · САМОДЕРЖЕЦЪ, laureate, draped, and armored bust right; OK on truncation of shoulder / МОШЕТА · НОВАА · ЦЕНА · РЪБЛЬ · (year symbol) А · Ψ · ΘΙ · (OCS date), crowned double-headed imperial eagle facing with wings displayed, holding scepter and orb; imperial crown above. Edge: (block) МОСКОВСКИЙ УКАЗНЫЙ РЪБЛЬ 171 (...) НАГО ДЕНЕЖНАГО ДВОРА • (uncertain). Diakov 18; Bitkin —; Severin 434; Uzdrenikov 0577. VF, toned, a few metal flaws on obverse. (\$750)

From the TJH Collection.



1664. RUSSIA, Empire. Ekaterina II Velikaya (the Great). 1762-1796. AR Medal (38.3mm, 22.41 g, 12h). Novodel issue. For Bravery on Finnish Waters (Battle of Rochensalm). By T. Ivanov. Dated 13 August 1789. Б · М · ЕКАТЕРИНА · II · ИМП И САМОД · ВСЕРОСС ·, crowned and draped bust right; Т · ИВАНОВЪ · below bust / ЗА ХРАБРОСТЬ НА ВОДАХЪ ФИНСКИХЪ АВГУСТА 13 1789 ГОДА · (For bravery on Finnish waters August 13 1789) in six lines across field. Diakov, *Medals*, 217.2; Bitkin M1346. VF, lightly toned, some light scrapes and scratches, evidence of possibly having been placed in a bezel. (\$3000)

1831 Platinum 12 Roubleï



1665. RUSSIA, Empire. Nikolai I Pavlovich. 1825-1855. Platinum 12 Roubleï (34.8mm., 12h). Sankt-Peterburg (St. Petersburg) mint. Dated 1832. Dated 1831. Crowned double-headed imperial eagle facing with wings displayed, holding scepter and orb, coat-of-arms of Moskva framed by Order of St. Andrei Первозванного (the First Called) on breast; arms of Kazan, Astrakhan, and Novosibirsk on right wing, Kingdom of Poland, Caucasus, and Grand Duchy of Finland on left; imperial crown above / * 96 ЗОЛ · 68 ДОЛ · ЧИСТОЙ УРАЛЬСКОЙ ПЛАТИНЫ (96 *zlotniki*, 68 *dolei* unalloyed Ural platinum), * 12 * /РУБЛЕЙ/НА СЕРЕБРО/(ornamental spacer)/1831./с.п.б. (* 12 */Roubles/of Silver/[ornamental spacer]/1831./[mintmark]). Bitkin 40; Severin, *Gold*, 604; Uzenikov 0368; Friedberg 158; KM (C)179. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 63 Cameo. (\$75,000)

Bitkin records a total mintage of 1463 specimens for 1831.



1666. RWANDA, Republic. 1962-present. Lot of two (2) AV Denominations. Dated 1961. Lot includes the following denominations: (a) AV 25 Francs. (21.5mm, 7.54 g, 6h). KM 2 // (b) AV 10 Francs (19mm, 3.74 g, 6h). KM 1. Both coins Proof, 25 Francs with traces of toning. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Two (2) coins in lot. (\$500)



1667. SIERRA LEONE, Republic. 1961-pres. AV Golde. Dated 1966. Fifth anniversary of Independence. AGW: 1.5782 oz. KM 24. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 66. (\$2000)



1668. SPAIN, Castile & León. Alfonso X el Sabio (the Learned). 1252-1284. BI Dinero Blanco de la Guerra (20mm, 1.36 g, 9h). Sevilla (Seville) mint. **ALF/ONSVS/REX/CAS/TELLE/E/T/LEGIO/NIS** in six lines / Quartered arms of Castile and León, divided by crossed lines; **S** to upper left. ME 1132; Burgos 177. Good VF, toned. Exceptional and thus rare. (\$750)



1669. SPAIN, Castile & León. Enrique III el Doliente (the Infirm). 1390-1406. AR Real (29mm, 3.44 g, 3h). Sevilla (Seville) mint. ***DOMINVS:MICHI:ADIVTOR:ET:EGO:*DISPICIAM:INIMICOS:M**, crowned en monogram / ***ENRICHVS:DEI:GRACIA:REX/CAS**, coat-of-arms within quadrilobe; *****s and **S** in spandrels. ME 1407; Burgos 503. Near EF. Well struck on a broad flan. (\$300)

From the Michael Joffe Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (11 June 1993), lot 752.

Four Important Mallorca Gold Issues Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection



1670. SPAIN, Reino de España. *Felipe III el Piadoso*. 1598-1621. AV 8 Escudos (29mm, 13.58 g, 6h). Mallorca mint. Dated 1607. PHILIPPVS + REX + ARAGONVM, crowned coat-of-arms / + MAIORICARVM x CATOLICVS 1607, coat-of-arms; small coat-of-arms in exergue. ME –; NE 7. Good VF, traces of deposits. Very rare. (\$10,000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (Vico 130, 26 June 2012), lot 586 (HSA 1001.1.10654), where it realized €10,500.

1671. SPAIN, Reino de España. *Carlos II el Hechizado*. 1665-1700. AV 4 Escudos (25mm, 13.48 g, 12h). Mallorca mint. Dated 1689. ✠ CAROLVS · II · R · ARAGON · 1689, small crowned coat-of-arms / [✠ MAI]ORICARVM CA[TOLICVS], coat-of-arms; small coat-of-arms in exergue. ME 7857 var. (date); NE 100 var. (same). Good VF, lightly toned. Apparently unpublished for this date. (\$10,000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (Vico 130, 26 June 2012), lot 658 (HSA 1001.1.9218), where it realized €8500.

1672. SPAIN, Reino de España. *Felipe V*. First reign, 1700-1724. AV 4 Escudos (24mm, 13.46 g, 11h). Mallorca mint. Dated 1704. ✠ P[HILIP]VS V R ARAGONVM 1704, crowned coat-of-arms / [✠ MAIOR]ICARVM CATOLIC[VS], coat-of-arms; small coat-of-arms in exergue. ME 9784; NE 226; V&P 1591. Good VF, toned. Very rare. (\$10,000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (Vico 130, 26 June 2012), lot 753 (HSA 1001.1.9213), where it realized €9,500.

1673. SPAIN, Reino de España. *Felipe V*. First reign, 1700-1724. AV 4 Escudos (24mm, 13.47 g, 11h). Mallorca mint. Dated 1704. ✠ PHILIPPVS · V · R · ARAGO · 1704, small crowned coat-of-arms / ✠ MAIORICARV CATOLICV∞, coat-of-arms; small coat-of-arms in exergue. ME 9784; NE 227; V&P 1590. EF, toned. Extremely rare with legends this complete. (\$20,000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (Vico 130, 26 June 2012), lot 752 (HSA 1001.1.9214), where it realized €18,500.



Enlargements of Lot 1670



Enlargements of Lot 1671



Enlargements of Lot 1672



Enlargements of Lot 1673

First Christian King of Sweden Olof Skötkonung (the Treasurer)



1674. SWEDEN. Olof Skötkonung (the Treasurer). 995–1022. AR Penny (22mm, 1.98 g, 3h). Sigtuna mint; Leofman, moneyer. ✠ **ORTF T REꝥ TH COꝛ**, draped bust of Olof right; scepter before / ✠ **TEH·TH HOTTHE**, voided short cross; **Ċ·R·V·** in angles, pellet in first and fourth quarters. Malmer dies 4.17/67; Person Group VI, Type A, 26; Lagerqvist 16c; Antell 8. Good VF, toned. Struck on a broad flan. Very rare. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 20 June 2010.

Also known as Olof Eiríksson, Olof Skötkonung (the Treasurer) was the first Christian King of Sweden. The epithet Skötkonung refers to Olof's role as a treasure king: taxes, a tributary relationship, the minting of coins, or an ancient land ownership ceremony have all been suggested as possible explanations. Much of what is known about him comes from the great Icelandic historian and mythographer, Snorri Sturulson, as well as the German medieval chronicler, Adam of Bremen. Olof's reign was spent in negotiating the complicated politics of eleventh century Scandinavia. At one point, Olof participated in a Viking raid into northern Germany. There, he captured Edia, the daughter of a local West Slavic chieftain. Becoming his mistress, Edia gave birth to King Emund of Sweden (1050-1060) and Astrid Olofsdotter, Queen of Norway (d. 1035). Olof appears to have not always been interested in maintaining his territories. He lost control of Denmark (which his father had conquered) to Sweyn I Forkbeard and, in 1000, formed an alliance with him. When war erupted between Sweden and Norway following Olaf II Haraldsson's reestablishment of the latter kingdom, it became a personal family feud, since Olaf II Haraldsson had been married to Astrid Olofsdotter and later engaged to Ingegerd Olofsdotter. No one on either side wished the war to go on, apart from Olof Skötkonung. The Swedes became so incensed at Olof's obstinacy that one of his revered advisers, Thorgny Lawspeaker, threatened to kill the king if he did not cease and turn his attention eastward toward the old areas once controlled by his ancestors. Olof was thereupon compelled to share power with his son, Anund, and submit to the terms of the peace treaty forged at Kungahälla in 1020. Olof also betrothed his daughter Ingegerd to Yaroslav I the Wise.

In 1008, Olof Skötkonung was baptised a Christian by St. Sigfrid at Husaby. Olof's death in the winter of 1021/2 was, according to legend, the result of his refusal to sacrifice to the pagan gods. He was later canonized as St. Olof of Sweden.



1675. SWEDEN. Gustav Eriksson (Vasa). Viceroy, 1521–1523. AR Fyrk (18mm, 0.78 g, 9h). Type 1. Stockholm mint. Dated 15ZZ. ◦ **6OSTA** ◦ **CRISO** ◦ **6** ◦ **15ZZ**, shield decorated with large **6** / **8** **MONETA** ◦ **STORHOLM**, crown. Galster –, cf. Tingström, p. 86; Antell 3. EF, lustrous, areas of weak strike. Rare. (\$300)



1676. SWEDEN. Gustav I Vasa. 1523–1560. AR Mark (34mm, 11.68 g, 8h). Stockholm mint. Dated [15]58. GOSTAVS * D * G * REX * SVVECIE ☼, crowned and armored half-length bust right, holding raised sword in right hand and globus cruciger in left / * BEATVS * QVI * TIMET * DOMINVM, crowned coats-of arms; * S flanking lowest shield. Antell Type VII, 342; Ahlström 118 var. (stop after DOMINVM); Tingström 155 var. (same). VF, toned, slight double strike, some cleaning marks under tone on reverse. Rare. (\$750)

From the Michael Joffe Collection.



1677. SWITZERLAND, République et Canton de Genève. Genève (évêché). Conrad. Bishop, 1020-1025/30. AR Denier (22mm, 1.21 g, 1h). * COHRADVS EPS, cross pattée; quadrate pellets in quarters / * GENIVA CIVITAS, temple façade. Cf. HMZ 1-268a (for type); Coraggioni pl. XLVIII, 15. EF, lightly toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 104 (13 March 2010), lot 421.



1678. SWITZERLAND, République et Canton de Genève. Genève (évêché). Conrad. 1020-1025/30. AR Denier (22mm, 1.27 g, 6h). * COHRADVS EPS, cross pattée; quadrate pellets in quarters / * GENIVA CIVITAS, temple façade. HMZ 1-268a var. (obv. legend); Coraggioni pl. XLVIII, 15. Near EF, iridescent toning. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 11 December 2009.



1679. SWITZERLAND, République et Canton de Genève. Genève (évêché). Guy de Faucigny or Humbert de Grammont. Bishop, 1078-1119 or 1119/20-1135. AR Denier (19mm, 1.28 g, 3h). * GENEVA CIVITAS, cross pattée; quadrate pellets in quarters / * SCS PETRVS, head of Saint Pierre left. HMZ 1-291 corr. (rev. legend); Coraggioni pl. XLVIII, 16. EF, toned. Well struck. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 13 April 2010.

Rare Imitation of the Leeuwendaalder for Transylvania



1680. TRANSYLVANIA. temp. Gheorghe Rákóczi I. 1630-1648. AR Taler (41mm, 27.01 g, 12h). Imitating a Leeuwendaalder of the Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). Dated 1638. MONE · ARGENT · PRO · REG · TRA ·, armored half-length figure of soldier standing left, head right; coat-of-arms below / (inverted acorn) CONFIDENS · DNO · NON · MOVETVR · **1638**, lion rampant left. Resch –; Davenport 4864 (attributed to Utrecht); cf. Gamberini 63 (for type); KM –; Künker 69, lot 4045. VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Gorny & Mosch 110 (15 October 2001), lot 1701.

Reported Mintage of 75 Pieces



1681. UNITED ARAB EMIRATES. 1971-Pres. Piefort AR 50 Dirhams (40mm, 54.35 g, 12h). International Year of the Child. Dated 1980. KM P1. Proof. Frosty devices contrast with deeply mirrored fields. Exceptional. Very rare, mintage of only 75 pieces. (\$2000)

Washington North Wales 'Evasion' Halfpenny



1682. UNITED STATES, Pre-Federal. Washington tokens. CU Halfpenny. (27mm, 5h) 'Evasion' series. Uncertain British (Lutwyche's [Birmingham]?) mint. Struck early 1790s. GEORGE IVS WASHINGTON, bust of Washington left / * NORTH WALES *, crowned harp. Whitman W-11150; Breen 1294. In PCGS encapsulation graded AU 50. (\$750)



1683. VANUATU, Colonial. As New Hebrides. 1906-1980. Pattern Æ 500 Francs (40mm, 16.16 g, 12h). The Year of the Child. Dated 1979. KM Pn1. Proof. Mintage of 60 pieces according to KM. (\$500)

Further Pieces from the Lasser Collection



1684. WESTERN MEDIEVAL, Europe. 10th-14th Century. Lot of four (4) BI and AR Denominations. Lot includes the following:

(a) **FRANCE** (Anglo-Gallic). *Richard I, as King of England.* 1189-1199. BI Denier (19mm, 1.07 g, 10h). Poitou mint. ✠ **RICARDVS REX**, cross pattée / **PIC/TAVIE/NSIS** in three lines. SCBC 8008; Elias 8; Poey d'Avant 2546; Roberts 3886 var. (pellet on reverse)

(b) **GERMANY**, Sachsen. *Otto III, with Adelheid.* 984-995. AR Obol (16mm, 0.67 g, 10h). *Otto-Adelheid/Holzkirche* type. ✠ **D**(angled ►) **I GRA • [RE] ✠**, cross pattée; **ODCO** in quarters / (trilobe cross) **ATEAHEHI**, *Holzkirche* (wooden church façade). Cf. Hatz Type IV; Dannenberg 1169a; De Wit 1542

(c) **ITALY**, Genova. *Republic.* 1139-1339. BI Denaro (16mm, 0.83 g, 11h). Struck in the name of Conrad III, King of Italy, circa 1272. ✠ • **IA • NV • A •**, city-gate façade / **CVRADI REX**, cross pattée. CNI III 7-8; Biaggi 835; De Wit 3589 var. (pellet at end of rev. legend)

(d) **SWITZERLAND**, Canton de Vaud. *Lausanne (Bistum).* Anonymous issues. 12th-14th Century. AR Denier. ✠ **LAUSANNA**, temple façade / ✠ **MONETAS**, cross pattée, S in second and third quarters. HMZ 1-486a.

Coins VF or better, toned.

(\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.



1685. WESTERN EUROPE. Lot of six (6) AV and AR Denominations. Lot includes the following:

(a) **CRUSADERS**, Chios. *Maona di Chio*. Tomaso di Campofregoso. Circa 1415-1421. AV Ducat (19mm, 1.92 g, 6h). Gamberini 370. *Purchased from Baldwin's, 4 May 1994.*

(b) **FRANCE**, Dombes. *Anne-Marie-Louise de Bourbon*. 1650-1693. AR Douzieme d'écu (21mm, 2.51 g, 6h). Dated 1665. Cammarano 045.

(c) **ITALY**, Arquata. AR Luigino (21mm, 1.76 g, 6h). Dated 1668. Cammarano 004.

(d) **ITALY**, Arquata. AR Luigino (21mm, 1.78 g, 6h). Dated 1668. Cammarano 004.

(e) **ITALY**, Tassarolo. *Livia Centurioni Oltremarini, moglie di Filippo Spinola*. 1616-1688. AR Luigino (20mm, 1.56 g, 6h). Dated 1666. Cammarano 366.

(f) **ITALY**, Toscano. *Pietro Leopoldo I di Lorena*. 1765-1790. AR Tallero per il Levante (40mm, 27.89 g, 6h). Dated 1769. MIR 401/2. *Ex Harald Salvesen Collection (Spink Zürich 28, 24 October 1988), lot 121.*

Coins average VF, toned, small AR denominations with scratches under tone. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six (6) coins in lot. (\$750)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.



1686. MISCELLANEOUS. Lot of six (6) AR and Æ Denominations. Lot includes the following:

(a) **ISLAMIC**, Ottoman Empire. *'Abd al-Hamid I*. AH 1187-1203 / AD 1774-1789. AV Zeri Mahbub (21mm, 2.54 g, 12h). Misr mint. Dated AH 1187 and RY 2 (AD 1775). KM 416.

(b) **BOLIVIA**, Colonial. *Felipe II*. King of Spain, 1556-1598. AR 2 Reales (25mm, 6.51 g, 6h). Potosí mint; C, assayer. Struck 1577-1583. ME 3615.

(c) **BOLIVIA**, Colonial. *Felipe II*. King of Spain, 1556-1598. AR Real (18mm, 3.12 g, 6h). Potosí mint; C, assayer. Struck 1577-1583. ME 3498.

(d) **BOLIVIA**, Colonial. *Felipe II*. King of Spain, 1556-1598. AR Medio Real (18mm, 1.66 g, 3h). Potosí mint; R, assayer. Struck 1577-1583. Cf. ME 3415.

(e) **LOW COUNTRIES**, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). 1581-1795. Cast Æ Jeton (29mm, 9.36 g, 5h). Capture of Breda by the Turfschip (Peat boat). Dated 1590. Van Loon I 407.

(f) **SPAIN**, Reino de España. *Felipe II*. King of Spain, 1556-1598. AR Medio Real (15mm, 0.64 g, 4h). Toledo mint. Dated 1589(?). Cf. ME 3423. Porous.

Coins Good Fine or better, toned with noted conditions. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six (6) coins in lot. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.



Photographs of Lot 1687

1687. WORLD COUNTERMARKS. Lot of ten (10) AR Countermarked Denominations. All coins: countermarked on other denominations for use elsewhere in Europe, Africa, America, and Asia. Lot includes the following:

FOR USE IN EUROPE

(a) **LOW COUNTRIES**, Zuidelijke Nederlanden (Southern Netherlands). *Filips IV van Spanje*. 1621-1665. AR “48 Stuiver” (28mm, 13.16 g, 8h). Pair of vuurijzers and vuursteens; all within round incuse on obverse of a Potosí mint 4 Reales (cf. ME 6146). Flan split. *Ex Ponterio 25 (25 September 1986), lot 461.*

(b) **RUSSIA**, Tsardom of Rus. *Alexei Mikhailovich Romanov*. 1645-1676. AR Jefimok (42mm, 28.82 g, 1h). Dated 1655. Georgii Pobedenosets on horseback right; all within round incuse, and 1655 within rectangular incuse, both on obverse of a 1655 Nijmegen mint Nederlandse rijksdaalder (Davenport 4828). *Ex Downie-Lepczyk 64 (2 December 1985), lot 590; Virgil Brand Collection (Part IV, Sotheby, 3 November 1983), lot 16.*

FOR USE IN AFRICA

(c) **MOZAMBIQUE**, Colonial. *Maria I.* Queen of Portugal, 1786-1816. Counterfeit AR “960 Reis” (21mm, 26.76 g, 12h). Incuse MR monogram on reverse of 1764-MF Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 8 Reales of Carlos III of Spain (ME 11928). *Countermark is a modern copy*, host coin has been chased and has had mount removed. *Ex Superior 64 (30 January 1984), lot 2376.*

FOR USE IN AMERICA

(d) **NICARAGUA**, Colonial. *León*. AR 8 Reales (39mm, 26.82 g, 12h). Crowned lion rampant left within oval incuse on obverse of 1746-MF Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 8 Reales of Felipe V of Spain (ME 9464). *Ex Alexander Patterson Collection (Bonham's, 19 July 1996), lot 576.*

FOR USE IN ASIA

(e) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Java. AR Taler Batu (40mm, 27.42 g, 12h). *Djawa* in Malay-Arabic within circular incuse on obverse of 1758 Wien (Vienna) mint Taler of Maria Theresia (Davenport 1113). *Ex Wyatt (7 April 1988), lot 365.*

(f) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Madura. AR Real Batu (38mm, 26.77 g, 12h). “Madura Star” in lanceate incuse on reverse of 1767-MF Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 8 Reales of Carlos III of Spain (ME 11950).

(g) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Sumatra. AR Quarter Real Batu (20mm, 6.37 g, 9h). Flower with incuse petals and raised carpels on obverse of 1763 Potosí mint AR 2 Reales of Carlos III of Spain (cf. ME 11475).

(h) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Sumatra. AR Dukaton Batu (42mm, 32.41 g, 12h). Flower with incuse petals and raised carpels on obverse of 1758 Hoorn mint AR Zilveren rijder of dukaton (P&W Wf32).

(i) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Sumenep. AR Real Batu (35mm, 23.29 g, 11h). Flower with incuse petals and carpels and *sumenep* in Malay-Arabic in rectangular incuse on reverse of Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 8 Reales of Felipe V of Spain (cf. ME 9183).

(j) **MALAY ARCHIPELAGO**, Uncertain. AR Real Batu (28mm, 27.32 g, 5h). Crossed bars; two pellets, each in opposite quarters; all within circular incuse, and partial countermark, both on reverse of 1730-R Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 8 Reales of Felipe V of Spain. ME 9329.

Coins average VF or better, toned. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot.

(\$1000)

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1688. WORLD COUNTERMARKS and CHOPMARKED ISSUES of CHINA. Lot of six (6) AR Countermarked and Chopmarked Denominations. All coins: countermarked on other denominations for use elsewhere in Europe, Africa, America, and Asia. Lot includes the following:

FOR USE IN EUROPE

(a) LOW COUNTRIES, Nederlandse Opstand (Dutch Revolt). 1566/8-1648. AR Twintigste daalder (26mm, 2.97 g, 11h). Dutch Revolt countermark of 1573-1574: Lion of Holland rampant left in beaded incuse oval on reverse of Marcello of Andrea Gritti (Paolucci 6).

(b) LOW COUNTRIES, Republiek der Zeven Verenigde Nederlanden (Dutch Republic). 1581-1795. AR 28 Stuiver Florin (42mm, 19.06 g, 6h). Dutch Revolt countermark of 1693-1694: HOL in incuse rectangle on obverse of a 1690 Nijmegen mint Florin (Purmer Nij13).

FOR USE IN ASIA

(c) MALAY ARCHIPELAGO, Sumenep. AR Half Real Batu (21mm, 13.36 g, 9h). *sumenep* in Malay-Arabic in rectangular incuse on reverse of Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 4 Reales of Felipe V of Spain (cf. ME 9062).

(d) MALAY ARCHIPELAGO, Sumenep. AR Half Real Batu (21mm, 13.36 g, 9h). [1]235 (AD 1815) in Eastern Arabic numerals in rectangular incuse on reverse of 1730 Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint AR 4 Reales of Felipe V of Spain (cf. ME 9045).

CHOPMARKED ISSUES of CHINA

(e) MEXICO, Colonial. *Felipe V*. King of Spain, first reign, 1700-1724. AR 8 Reales (40mm, 27.36 g, 8h). Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint; José E. de León, maestro de ceca. Cf. ME 9257. Numerous chopmarks on obverse and reverse.

(f) MEXICO, Colonial. *Carlos III*. King of Spain, 1759-1788. AR 8 Reales (37.8mm, 27.13 g, 12h). Ciudad de México (Mexico City) mint; Manuel Assorin and Francisco de la Peña, maestros de ceca. Dated 1764-MF. ME 11928. Light chopmark on obverse and reverse. Coins VF or better, toned. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six (6) coins in lot. (\$1000)

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BRITISH COINAGE



1689. CELTIC, Trinovantes & Catuvellauni. Cunobelin. Circa AD 10-43. AV Stater (16mm, 5.48 g, 10h). Trinovantian T, Cunobelin Biga type. Camulodunum mint. CAMVL in tablet flanked by pellet in rings, joined to vertical wreaths; alternating flower motifs and heart-shaped faces in quarters / Two horses galloping left; leaf above; below, four-spoked wheel with star at center above CVNOBELIN. Kretz, *Biga* class A2/A3, var. 1 mule; cf. Allen, *Cunobelin* 1-5 (unlisted dies); Van Arsdell 1910-1; ABC 2771; SCBC 280. Near EF. Well centered and struck. Rare. (\$5000)

Found in High Laver, Epping Forest, Essex, 2011 (PAS ESS-3CE8F3).



1690. CELTIC, Trinovantes & Catuvellauni. Cunobelin. Circa AD 10-43. AV Stater (17.5mm, 5.52 g, 9h). Trinovantian V, Cunobelin Wild type. Camulodunum mint. Grain ear; CA MV flanking / Horse leaping right; branch and star above; below, pellet-in-annulet above CVNO. Allen, *Cunobelin* 73 (dies C/e); Van Arsdell 1933-1; ABC 2783; SCBC 283. EF, lightly toned. (\$2500)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 79 (31 October 2000), lot 28; Numismatica Ars Classica 11 (29 April 1996), lot 1.



1691. CELTIC, Trinovantes & Catuvellauni. Cunobelin. Circa AD 10-43. AR Unit (13mm, 1.27 g, 10h). Trinovantian W, Cunobelin Sphinx type. Winged and draped bust right; CVNO upward to right / Sphinx seated left; TASCIO downward to left. De Jersey, *Silver* group D3; Van Arsdell 2057-1; ABC 2870; SCBC 313. EF, iridescent toning, flan crack, minor granularity. (\$750)

From the collection of the MoneyMuseum, Zurich. Ex Leu 79 (31 October 2000), lot 30; Classical Numismatic Group 42 (29 May 1997), lot 1448.



1692. ANGLO-SAXON, Transitional/Pre-Primary Phase. Circa 675-680. AR Sceat (12mm, 1.22 g, 3h). Vanimundus series, Rigold VB(-), type 55. Mint in Essex. TI∞ IV∞, diademed and draped bust right, staff over left shoulder / + TmV∞NVmVCo, cross pattée within double beaded circle. Abramson 2.10; cf. Metcalf 84-9 (pale gold); SCBI 63 (BM), 41 var. (rev. legend); North 12/2; SCBC 774. Good VF, toned. (\$500)



1693. ANGLO-SAXON, Primary Sceattas. Circa 685-700. AR Sceat (12mm, 1.24 g, 6h). Series BIII imitation. Copying a mint in Essex or East Anglia. Crude head right; two annulets before / Cross pattée with bird at top; pellets in quarters; blundered legend in margin. Abramson 16.90 (same dies as illustration); Coin Register 2002, 70 = EMC 2001.0979; Beowulf 25 (this coin); Metcalf -; SCBI 63 (BM), -; North -; SCBC -. Good VF, find patina. Rare. (\$300)

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1694. ANGLO-SAXON, Primary Sceattas. Circa 710-720. AR Sceat (11mm, 1.04 g, 9h). Series R2, type 77. Uncertain mint. Radiate bust right; annulet and Runic EPA to right; TA (A inverted) behind / Beaded 'standard' with TOT II; triangle with pellets above, cross below; IAI to either side. Metcalf, *Runic*, Variety 5, 20; Abramson 11.20; Metcalf 391-3 var. (no annulet); SCBI 63 (BM), 634 var. (rev. legend); North 157; SCBC 832. EF, toned. (\$200)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 328.



1695. ANGLO-SAXON, Continental Sceattas. Circa 695/700-710/5. AR Sceat (12mm, 1.30 g). Series E, Primary ('Ashton Rowant') phase, plumed bird var. K (Type 6). Frisia (Dorestad?) mint. 'Plumed bird' right; cross pommée to right and below / Standard with central pellet-in-annulet, four bars, and two trefoils; crosses at sides. Abramson 87.30; OdV&K 297-8; SCBI 63 (BM), 303-6; North 49; SCBC 789. EF. (\$300)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Davissons 4 (18 November 1994), lot 218.

1696. ANGLO-SAXON, Secondary Sceattas. Circa 715-720. AR Sceat (12mm, 1.19 g, 7h). Series N, type 41b. Mint in East Kent or lower Thames region. Two figures standing facing, each holding long cross pommée in outer hands, jointly holding another between themselves / Creature advancing right, head left. Abramson 52.30 var. (number of pellets on obv.); Beowulf 72 (this coin); Metcalf p. 463; SCBI 63 (BM), 585; North 98; SCBC 810. Good VF, toned, minor porosity. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 329; Beowulf Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 75, 23 May 2007), lot 1414; Finn FPL (Summer 1994), no. 26.

The obverse type has numerous possible prototypes in classical sources, both numismatic and non-numismatic. These diverse origins notwithstanding, there are common ideas enshrined in them that certainly were influential in the development of this type. The crosses around the figures serve the same apotropaic function as on the similar, single-figure type (see lot 1363, above), but the addition of a second figure with similar features implies concerted action among equals (Gannon, pp. 101-103). Backwards-looking animals such as that on the reverse of this coin are among the most enduring images in ancient Europe. In pre-Christian times, these creatures typically appeared as custodians of treasure. It is possible that they were assimilated in the Christian period as guardians of one's soul (Gannon, pp. 149-150).



1697. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Northumbria. Eadberht. 737-758. AR Sceat (13mm, 1.08 g, 5h). Group Bi. Eoferwic (York) mint. · EOTBEREHTV around central cross pattée / Heraldic quadruped standing left, raising foreleg. Booth, *Sceattas* Class Bi, 2 (dies A/b); Pirie 11-2; Pirie, *Guide* 2.1b var. (figure right); SCBI 63 (BM), 759 (same obv. die); North 178; SCBC 847. Good VF. (\$500)

From the TJH Collection.



1698. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Northumbria. Lot of two (2) AR Sceats. Group G. Eoferwic (York) mint. Lot includes the following kings: (a) Eadberht. 737-758. AR Sceat (13mm, 1.03 g, 2h). Group G. Eoferwic (York) mint. · EOTBEREHTV around central cross pattée / Heraldic quadruped standing left, raising foreleg; four pellet-in-annulets around. Booth, *Sceattas* Class G, – (unlisted dies); Pirie –; Pirie, *Guide* 2.1d; SCBI 63 (BM), 768; North 177; SCBC 847. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 492 // (b) Eanred. 810-841. Æ Styca (12mm, 1.20 g, 3h). Phase Ib. Eoferwic (York) mint; Herred, moneyer. Struck circa 830-835. + EANRE REX around central cross / + HERREDx around central cross. Pirie 104-5; Pirie, *Guide* 3.6i; North 186; SCBC 862. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 493. Both coins Good VF, toned, porosity. (\$200)

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Rare Muled Reverse Dies



1699. ANGLO-SAXON, Archbishops of York. Wigmund. 837-849/50. Æ Styca (12.5mm, 1.22 g, 3h). Phase II, Group Ci. Eoferwic (York) mint; Edilueard, moneyer. + EDILVEVRD around central cross pattée / + EDILVEARD around central cross pattée. Pirie 712 (same dies); Pirie, *Guide* 3.21c (same dies as illustration); cf. North 196; cf. SCBC 870. VF, brown surfaces. Rare mule using two reverse dies. (\$200)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 495.

The Coinage of Offa



1700. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Offa. 757-796. AR Penny (16mm, 1.31 g, 12h). Light coinage. Non-portrait type. Caentwarabyrig (Canterbury) mint; Eoba, moneyer. Struck circa 785-792/3. **OF** within lozenge with crosses at corners; **R E X** (O) with pellets and trefoils around / **E O B A** within angles of cross fleurée, with saltire of pellets in annulet at center. Naismith, *Offa* 36 (this coin); Chick –; SCBI –; BMC; North –; SCBC 904. Near VF, toned. Extremely rare – the only known example of this obverse type. (\$1500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Purchased from Davissons, April 2010. Ex Spink (25 March 2010), lot 11. Found in north Yorkshire, 2009.

During the eighth century AD, Mercia, under its king, Offa (757-796), was the largest and most powerful Anglo-Saxon kingdom in England. As such, this kingdom maintained diplomatic and cross-cultural, and economic contacts with the Carolingian Empire on the Continent (see J. Nelson, "Carolingian Contacts," in M.P. Brown and C.A. Farr, *Mercia* [London & New York, 2005]). The coinage reform begun by Pepin I and implemented by his son and successor, Charlemagne (see lot 1371) produced deniers struck on broad flans of good metal. This new coinage became the denominational standard throughout the Carolingian Empire, replacing the earlier, smaller Merovingian silver issues and the sceats found in northern Europe and across the English Channel. In Anglo-Saxon England, these earlier coin types were replaced with a new denomination, the penny. Based on the Carolingian denier, these coins first appear in two very rare issues of the Kentish kings, Heaberht and Ecgbert. It was Offa, however, who introduced the penny to a much wider audience in England, with both heavy and light issues in various portrait and non-portrait types. So successful was this new denomination that it continued to be the sole English silver denomination until the introduction of the groat, halfpenny, and farthing under Edward I in 1279.

Pleasing Offa Portrait



1701. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Offa. 757-796. AR Penny (17.5mm, 1.26 g, 2h). Light coinage. Portrait type. Lundene (London) mint; Æthelweard, moneyer. Struck circa 785-792/3. **✠: OFFA · R·EX · ✠**, bust right; ornamental spray at end of legend / **ĒÐ · EL · VĀ · L Ð**, short cross batonnée over short cross in saltire; all within circle and set on long voided cross pommée with globule in each limb. Chick type 9; SCBI 9 (Oxford), 5 var. (arrangement of rev. legend); BMC –; North 310; SCBC 905. VF, toned. (\$3000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Purchased from Davissons, May 2010.



1702. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Offa. 757-796. AR Penny (17mm, 1.21 g, 11h). Light coinage. Portrait type. Caentwarabyrig (Canterbury) mint; Ealhæd, moneyer. Struck circa 785-792/3. Bust right; **✠ OFFA · R·EX ·** / **EH · LR · E · D** on limbs of Celtic cross with trefoil-tipped scepters in angles. Chick type 97a (same dies) = SCBI 20 (Mack), 559; cf. BMC 9; North 291; SCBC 905. VF, toned, minor roughness. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Purchased from Davissons, May 2010. Found in Cambrai.

1703. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Burgred. 852-874. AR Penny (19mm, 0.99 g, 11h). Lunette Type A (BMC a). Lundene (London) mint; Leofa, moneyer. Struck circa 868-874. **BVRERED REX**, bust right / **✠ LEIPE : ✠** across central field; **✠ FION ETĀ ✠**. SCBI 20 (Mack), 619 = N. Heywood, "The Kingdom and Coins of Burgred," *BNJ* 1906, 19 (this coin); BMC –; North 423; SCBC 938. Good VF, toned, minor roughness. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 24 June 2010. Ex Heritage 3008 (3 January 2010), lot 21547; R.P. Mack Collection (Part I, Glendining 18 November 1975), lot 90; P.W.P. Carlyon-Britton Collection (Part I, Sotheby, Wilkinson & Hodge, 17 November 1913), lot 289c; Waterloo Bridge find of 1882.



1704. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Burgred. 852-874. AR Penny (20.5mm, 1.21 g, 3h). Lunette Type A (BMC a). Lundene (London) mint; Hygeræd, moneyer. Struck circa 868-874. **BVRERED REX**, bust right / **HVEIERE** across central field; **D FION ETĀ**. SCBI 17 (Midlands), 92 var. (rev. legend); BMC 331; North 423; SCBC 938. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 January 2010.

1705. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Mercia. Burgred. 852-874. AR Penny (20mm, 1.42 g, 6h). Lunette Type A (BMC a). Lundene (London) mint; Dudwine, moneyer. Struck circa 868-874. **BVRERED REX** **Q**, bust right / **DVDPIHE** across central field; **FION ETĀ** **·**. SCBI 1 (Fitzwilliam), 414 = MEC 1, 1333; BMC 260 var. (normal N); North 423; SCBC 938. Good VF. (\$750)

From the TJH Collection.



1706. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish East Anglia). *St. Edmund memorial coinage*. Circa 895-918. AR Penny (18mm, 1.31 g, 2h). Mint in East Anglia (Gipeswic [Ipswich]?); Bado, moneyer. **✠** **∞C EAD+MIV**, large **Æ** / **✠** **B+ADI MOI**, short cross pattée. SCBI 1 (Fitzwilliam), 458 = MEC 1, 1403 var. (rev. legend); cf. BMC 268-72; North 483; SCBC 960. Good VF, toned, wavy flan. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 January 2010.

Ex Drabble Collection



1707. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish Northumbria). *Imitations of Plegmund*. Circa 885-915(?). AR Penny (20.5mm, 1.40 g, 9h). Beornweald, moneyer. **✠** **P+E+D+OIOPE+TEP**, small cross pattée / **BIRIV** / **ADFI** **✠**. SCBI 4 (Copenhagen), 91; cf. BMC 63 (Plegmund); North 476; SCBC 974. EF, toned. Very rare. (\$2000)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 104 (13 March 2010), lot 337; Bruun Rasmussen (11 December 2006), lot 5418; G. C. Drabble Collection (Glendining, 4 July 1939), lot 356.



1708. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish Northumbria). *Cnut*. Circa 900-905. AR Penny (19.5mm, 1.29 g, 5h). Class IIc/Cunneti type. Eoferwic (York) mint. **✠** **CVH+HETI** **✠**, short cross pattée with pellets in first and fourth quarters / **✠** **CHVTRE** **✠** arranged around central long cross pattée. L&S IIc; cf. SCBI 29 (Merseyside), 250-6; BMC 924 (same dies); North 499; SCBC 990. Near EF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 January 2010. Ex Heritage 3008 (3 January 2010), lot 21548.

1709. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish Northumbria). *Cnut*. Circa 900-905. AR Penny (20mm, 1.36 g, 6h). Class IIc/Cunneti type. Eoferwic (York) mint. **✠** **CVH+HETI** **✠**, short cross pattée with pellets in first and fourth quarters / **✠** **CHVTRE** **✠** arranged around central long cross pattée. L&S IIc; cf. SCBI 29 (Merseyside), 257-344 (for type); cf. BMC 925-984 (for type); North 501; SCBC 993. Good VF, toned. (\$400)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 26 May 2010.

1710. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish Northumbria). *Cnut*. Circa 900-905. AR Penny (20mm, 1.27 g, 9h). Class IIc/Cunneti type. Eoferwic (York) mint. **✠** **CVH+HETI** **✠**, short cross pattée with pellets in second and third quarters / **✠** **CHVTRE** **✠** arranged around central long cross pattée. L&S IIc; SCBI 29 (Merseyside), 312 (same dies); cf. BMC 925-984 (for type); North 501; SCBC 993. EF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 102 (12 September 2009), lot 548.



1711. ANGLO-SAXON, Anglo-Viking (Danish Northumbria). Cnut. Circa 900-905. AR Penny (20.5mm, 1.33 g, 3h). Class IIe/Cunneti type. Eoferwic (York) mint. **+ CVH HETI**, short cross pattée with pellets in first and fourth quarters / **✠ CN VTR E** ✠ arranged around central long cross pattée. L&S IIe; SCBI 29 (Merseyside), 319 (same dies); BMC 937; North 501; SCBC 993. EF, toned, peck mark, slightly irregular edge. (\$400)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 15 January 2010.



1712. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Wessex. Alfred the Great. 871-899. AR Penny (22mm, 1.46 g, 9h). Two-line type (BMC xvii). Dorobernia (Canterbury) mint; Dunning, moneyer. Struck circa 880-899. **+ ELFRED RE DORO**, small cross pattée / **DVNNI/NE ITO** in two lines; pellets above and below, three pellets between. SCBI —; BMC 19; North 638; SCBC 1069. VF, toned. (\$2000)



1713. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Wessex. Alfred the Great. 871-899. AR Penny (22mm, 1.61 g, 8h). Two-line ('Guthram') type (BMC xiv). Lundene (London) mint; Cuthbeorht, moneyer. Struck circa 880-899. **+ EL FR ED RE**, small cross pattée / **EVDB/ERHT** in two lines; between, pellet between two trefoils. SCBI 1 (Fitzwilliam), 552 = MEC 1, 1363; BMC 231; North 636; SCBC 1066. VF, toned, slightly wavy flan. (\$1500)

From the TJH Collection.



1714. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Wessex. Edward the Elder. 899-924. AR Penny (22mm, 1.62 g, 11h). Circumscriptio cross/Horizontal-Trefoil 1 (HT1E) type (BMC ii). Mercia West dies; Regenulf, moneyer. Late period II, circa 920-924. **+ EADVVEARD RE**, small cross pattée / **R EGEN/VLF ITO** in two lines; three crosses between; trefoils above and below. CTCE 251; Spink Numismatic Circular XCV.5 (June 1987), no. 335; cf. SCBI 9 (Oxford), 301; cf. BMC 52; North 649; SCBC 1087. VF, minor porosity. (\$750)

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1715. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Wessex. *Edward the Elder*. 899-924. AR Penny (22mm, 1.04 g, 6h). Local imitation of Circumscription cross/Horizontal-Trefoil 1 (HT 1) type (BMC ii). **†EDELIAEHE†**, small cross pattée / **LEVT/VEIMP**. CTCE –; SCBI –; BMC –; cf. North 668; cf. SCBC 1089. VF, porous. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 26 May 2010. Ex St. James 12 (5 November 2009), lot 361.



1716. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of Wessex. *Æthelstan*. 924-939. AR Penny (24mm, 1.46 g, 3h). Small cross/Horizontal-Trefoil 1 (HT 1) type (BMC i). Uncertain mint (Hertford/Maldon?); Abonel, moneyer. **†ÆDELSTAN REX**, small cross pattée / **ABNEL/MOHETA** in two lines; **†††** between, **✠** above and below. Cf. Blunt, *Aethelstan* 8 (different style); SCBI –; EMC –; North 668/1a; SCBC 1089. Good VF, area of cleaning scratches and very minor laminations on reverse. Very rare. (\$1000)



1717. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. *Æthelred II*. 978-1016. AR Penny (20mm, 1.38 g, 10h). First Hand type (BMC iia, Hild. B1). Eoferwic (York) mint; Ælfstan, moneyer. Struck circa 979-985. **†ÆDELRED REX ANGL**, diademed bust right / **†ALFSTAN H-O EOF**, *manus Dei* descending from clouds; barred **Λ** flanking. SCBI 26 (East Anglia), 1149 (same dies); cf. Hild. 608; BMC –; North 766; SCBC 1144. EF, toned, reverse a little off center. Lovely portrait. (\$1000)



1718. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. *Æthelred II*. 978-1016. AR Penny (19mm, 1.12 g, 9h). Last small cross type (BMC i, Hild. A). Lundene (London) mint; Leofstan, moneyer. Struck circa 1009-1017. **†ÆDELRED REX ANGL**, diademed and draped bust left / **†LEOFSTAN H-O-N LVND**, small cross pattée. SCBI 7 (Copenhagen), 865 (same dies); cf. Hild 2663-5; BMC 184; North 777; SCBC 1154. Near VF, toned, peck marks. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Davissons 28 (17 December 2009), lot 370.

1719. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. *Cnut*. 1016-1035. AR Penny (18.5mm, 0.98 g, 9h). Quatrefoil type (BMC viii, Hild. E). Lundene (London) mint; Ælfwine, moneyer. Struck circa 1017-1023. **†CNUVT REX ANGL**, crowned and draped bust left / **†ÆLFWIN L VND**, voided long cross with triple-crescent ends and pellet at center; all over quatrefoil; pellet in first quarter. SCBI 25 (Helsinki), 645-7 (same dies); Hild 1864 var. (rev. legend); BMC –; North 781; SCBC 1157. Near EF. (\$300)

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1720. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Cnut. 1016-1035. AR Penny (19.5mm, 1.01 g, 12h). Pointed Helmet type var. (BMC xiv; Hild. G). Lundene (London) mint; Ælfric, moneyer. Struck 1024-1030. **+ EHV T RIE**; draped bust left, wearing pointed helmet; quaterfoil-tipped scepter before / **+ EFPIC OH LVHDD**, voided short cross, with pellet at center; in each quarter, broken annulet enclosing a pellet. SCBI 14 (Copenhagen), 2069/2061 (same obv./rev. dies); cf. Hild 1935-58; cf. BMC 392-3; North 787; SCBC 1158. EF, toned. (\$500)

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1721. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Cnut. 1016-1035. AR Penny (18mm, 1.11 g, 2h). Short Cross type (BMC xvi, Hild. H). Lundene (London) mint; Godman, moneyer. Struck circa 1029-1035/6. **+ EHV T RIE**; diademed and draped bust right; trefoil-tipped scepter before / **+ GODIAN ON LVND**, voided short cross with pellet-in-annulet in center. SCBI 14 (Copenhagen), 1295 (same dies); Hild 2428; cf. BMC 442-4; North 790; SCBC 1159. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

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1722. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Cnut. 1016-1035. AR Penny (18mm, 1.11 g, 10h). Short Cross type (BMC xvi, Hild. H). Eoferwic (York) mint; Crucan, moneyer. Struck circa 1029-1035/6. **+ EHV T RIE**; diademed and draped bust right; trefoil-tipped scepter before / **+ ERVETH OH EOP**; voided short cross with pellet-in-annulet in center. SCBI 14 (Copenhagen), 593 var. (obv. legend); Hild 537; cf. BMC 168/167 (for obv./rev.); North 790; SCBC 1159. EF, lightly toned. (\$300)

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1723. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Harold I Harefoot. 1035-1040. AR Penny (18mm, 1.07 g, 3h). Fleur-de-Lis type (BMC v, Hild. B). Lundene (London) mint; Godric, moneyer. Struck 1038-1040. **+ HTR OLD RIE**; diademed bust left; shield and scepter before / **+ GODRI E ON LVN**, voided long cross; pellet in circle in center, fleur-de-lis (flanked by pellets) in angles. SCBI 40 (Stockholm), 1110 (same dies) = Hild 617; BMC –; North 803; SCBC 1165. Near EF, toned, few peck marks. (\$1000)

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For coins of the Danish kings of England struck in Denmark, see lots 1492–1495.



1724. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Edward the Confessor. 1042-1066. AR Penny (18mm, 1.10 g, 9h). Pacx type (BMC iv, Hild. D). Lincolne (Lincoln) mint; Svafi, moneyer. Struck 1042-1044. **† EDPAR · D REX** ·, diademed bust left; quatrefoil-tipped scepter before / **† SP: AFA ON LINGO**, voided long cross with crescent at ends and pellet at center; **PA E X** in quarters. Pagan, *Pacx* 176.2 (dies B/a – this coin); Mossop pl. LXVII, 7 (dies B/a) = SCBC 18 (Copenhagen), 999; Freeman 251; Hild 376; BMC –; North 813; SCBC 1171. VF, toned, small stress mark on reverse. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 497; W.C. Boyd Collection (Baldwin's 42, 26 September 2005), lot 844, with his original ticket, purchased from G. Snelling, February 1894.

1725. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Edward the Confessor. 1042-1066. AR Penny (20mm, 1.25 g, 12h). Sovereign/Martlets type (BMC ix; Hild. H). Hæstinga (Hastings) mint; Dunning, moneyer. Struck 1056-1059. **† EADPARD REX ANGLOR**, Edward seated facing on throne, holding scepter in right hand and globus cruciger in left / **† DVIIIIE ONI HÆS** ·, voided cross, with martlet in each quarter. Freeman 37 (this coin cited); SCBI 20 (Mack), 1232 (same dies); Hild –; BMC 511; North 827; SCBC 1181. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen FPL 249 (July-September 2009), no. 497; Baldwin's 55 (7 May 2008), lot 2279; Glendining's (7 December 1983), lot 89.



1726. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Edward the Confessor. 1042-1066. AR Penny (19.5mm, 1.32 g, 9h). Sovereign/Martlets type (BMC ix; Hild. H). Stæmig (Steyning) mint; Wulfric, moneyer. Struck 1056-1059. **† EADPARD REX ANGLOR**, Edward seated facing on throne, holding scepter in right hand and globus cruciger in left / **† PVLFRIE ONI STÆ** ·, voided cross, with martlet in each quarter. Freeman 37; SCBI 2 (Glasgow), 1108 (same dies); King, *Steyning* 22 = BMC 1210 (same dies); Hild –; North 827; SCBC 1181. VF, toned, areas of weak strike. (\$400)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 19 October 2009. Ex Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin 707 (July 1977), no. E876.

1727. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Edward the Confessor. 1042-1066. AR Penny (19mm, 1.11 g, 9h). Hammer Cross type (BMC xi; Hild. G). Stæmig (Steyning) mint; Deorman, moneyer. Struck circa 1059-1062. **EADPARD · RD RE A**, crowned bust right, scepter before / **† DIORMAN ON WÆTENIE**, voided cross, arms terminating in inward-facing crescents. Freeman 8; King, *Steyning* 25; SCBI 1 (Fitzwilliam), 928-9; SCBI 9 (Ashmolean), 982-3; SCBI 11a (Reading), 166; SCBI 20 (Mack), 1263; SCBI 29 (Merseyside), 798; SCBI 30 (American), 636-8; BMC 1213-4 (all from the same dies); North 828; SCBC 1182. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 19 October 2009.



1728. ANGLO-SAXON, Kings of All England. Edward the Confessor. 1042-1066. AR Penny (19mm, 1.35 g, 39h). Hammer Cross type (BMC xi var. a; Hild. G, var. a). Eoferwic (York) mint; Snæbjorn, moneyer. Struck circa 1059-1062. **EADPAERD D RE**, crowned bust right, scepter before / **✠ SNEBORN ON EOF**, voided cross, arms terminating in inward-facing crescents; annulet in first quarter. Freeman 338; SCBI 2 (Hunterian), 1140 (same dies); Hild. —; BMC 367 var. (obv. legend); North 828; SCBC 1182. Near EF, toned. (\$500)

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1729. NORMAN. William I 'the Conqueror'. 1066-1087. AR Penny (19mm, 0.94 g, 12h). Two Scepters type (BMC iv). Theodford (Thetford) mint; Coenric, moneyer. Struck circa 1072-1074. **✠ PILLEM REX II GL**, crowned facing bust; cross-tipped scepter to left, trefoil-tipped scepter right / **✠ CENRIC ON DEOTFI**, cross fleury, with annulet at center; all over cross bottonnée in saltire. SCBI —; Coin Register 2003, 230 = EMC 2003.0236; BMC 277; North 844; SCBC 1253. VF, toned. (\$1000)

From the TJH Collection.

Pointed Bust and Stars Type Penny



1730. NORMAN. Henry I. 1100-1135. AR Penny (20mm, 1.32 g, 3h). Pointing Bust and Stars type (BMC vi). Lundene (London) mint; Ælfwine, moneyer. Struck circa 1107. **✠ HENRI RE**, crowned bust facing slightly right, holding scepter over right shoulder and pointing with left hand; two stars to right / **✠ IELPINE : ON : LVN**, cross potent over cross batonnée in saltire; two stars in each quarter. SCBI —; EMC 2014.0260 (this coin); BMC —; North 862; SCBC 1267. VF, light marks, slightly crimped flan. Attractive portrait. Very rare. (\$5000)

Found Hart, Hartlepool, 2014 (EMC 2014.0260).



1731. YORK. Edward IV. First reign, 1461-1470. AV Quarter Ryal (18.5mm, 1.92 g, 3h). Light coinage, type VI. London (Tower) mint; im: sun. Struck 1465-1466. * EDWTRD* DI* GRAT* REX* ANGL* A* G, coat-of-arms; rose to left, C above, star to right; all within quatrefoil / * EXALTABITVR IN GLORIA, long cross fourchée, with rose at center and lis at each end; all over radiate sun. Blunt & Whitton type VI, 1; Schneider 396 var. (rev. legend); North 1560; SCBC 1965. VF, minor red deposits, struck on a tight flan. (\$1000)



1732. YORK (Restored). Edward IV. Second reign, 1471-1483. AV Angel (26.5mm, 5.19 g, 4h). Tower (London) mint; im: heraldic cinquefoil. Struck 1480-1483. * EDWTRD* DEI* GRAT* REX* ANGL* I* FRANC*, Archangel Michael slaying the Dragon / * PERC RVCEM TYT* SALVT* NOS* XPC* REDEMT*, ship bearing shield and cross, G flanking cross. Blunt & Whitton type XXI; cf. Schneider 467-8; North 1626; SCBC 2091. Good VF, minor die rust. (\$2000)

From the TJH Collection.

Richard III Angel



1733. YORK (Restored). Richard III. 1483-1485. AV Angel (27mm, 4.05 g, 10h). Type 2b. Tower (London) mint; im: boar's head 1/boar's head 2. (boar's head) RICTRD* DI* GRAT* REX* ANGL* I* FRANC*, Archangel Michael slaying dragon / (boar's head) PER CRUCEM TYT* SALVT* NOS* XPC* REDE, ship bearing shield and cross, R flanking cross. Winstanley 6; Schneider 488 (same dies); North 1676; SCBC 2151. VF, areas of weakness on ship and dragon, clipped, small edge cut, minor marks. Rare. (\$15,000)



1734. YORK (Restored), Richard III. 1483-1485. AR Groat (25mm, 2.73 g, 7h). Type 2b. London (Tower) mint; im: boar's head (2). **RICARDVS · DI · GRA · REX ANGL · I FRZ ·**, crowned facing bust within tressure of arches / **POSVI · DEVM · T · DIUTOR E · MEVM / CIVI TATIS LON DON**, long cross; trefoil in quarters. Winstanley 8; North 1679; SCBC 2156. VF, toned. (\$2000)

From the Collection of a Southern Pathologist, purchased from C.H. Wolfe, 6 January 1988.



1735. TUDOR. Mary. 1553-1554. AV Angel (29mm, 5.14 g, 2h). Class I. Tower (London) mint; im: pomegranate. **· MTRIT · ♣ · D · G · AN · G · FR · S · HIB · REGIN ·**, Archangel Michael slaying dragon / **· T · DNO · F · CT · V · ISTVD · ♣ · S · G · ST · MIR · BI ·**, ship bearing shield and cross, **M** and rose flanking cross. Schneider 712; North 1958; SCBC 2490. VF, faint rose toning. Struck on a broad flan. (\$7500)

Ex Major G.S.M. Burton Collection (Glendinings, 18 November 1970), lot 36.



1736. STUART. Charles I. 1625-1649. AV Unite (32mm, 9.07 g, 10h). Group D. Tower (London) mint; im: tun. Struck 1636-1638. **· (tun) · CAROLVS · D · G · MA · BR · FR · ET · HI · REX**, bust 5 left, crowned and mantled; XX (mark of value) behind / **FLORENT CONCORDIA REGNA · (tun) ·**, crowned coat-of-arms; crowned C R flanking. Cf. Brooker 98; cf. Schneider 155-6 (for type); North 2153; SCBC 2692. EF. Well struck and centered. (\$4000)



1737. STUART. Charles I. 1625-1649. AV Crown (19mm, 2.22 g, 5h). Group B. Tower (London) mint; im: heart. Struck 1629-1630. ♥ CAROLVS · D · G · MA · BR · FR · ET · HI · REX, bust 3 left, crowned and mantled; V (mark of value) behind / · CVLTORES · SVI · DEVS · PROTEGIT ♥, crowned and garnished coat-of-arms. Brooker 196-7; Schneider –; North 2182; SCBC 2712. EF, toned, scratch. Excellent portrait. (\$2500)

Magnificent Cromwell Broad – Ex Virgil Brand



1738. COMMONWEALTH. Oliver Cromwell. Lord Protector, 1653-1658. Pattern AV Broad (29mm, 9.02 g, 6h). Dies by Simon. Blondeau's mint, Drury House, London. Dated 1656. OLIVAR · D · G · R · P · ANG · SCO · HIB · & c · PRO ·, laureate and draped bust left / · PAX · QVÆRITVR · BELLO · 1656, crowned coat-of-arms. Lessen A2; W&R 39; Schneider 367; North 2744; SCBC 3225. In NGC encapsulation graded PF 63 Cameo. Well struck. (\$50,000)

Ex 'Highly Important Collection' (Spink 91, 1 May 1992). lot 55; Virgil Brand Collection; H. Schulman (24 October 1963), lot 1163.



1739. COMMONWEALTH. Oliver Cromwell. Lord Protector, 1653-1658. Pattern AR Halfcrown. (33mm, 6h). Dies by Simon. Blondeau's mint, Drury House, London. Dated 1658. OLIVAR · D · G · R · P · ANG · SCO · HIB · & c · PRO, laureate and draped bust left / · PAX · QVÆRITVR · BELLO 16 58, crowned coat-of-arms. Lessen I26; ESC 447; North 2746; SCBC 3227A. In NGC encapsulation graded AU 58. Deeply toned with shades of iridescent blue. (\$3000)

From the Patrick H. James Collection.



1740. COMMONWEALTH. Oliver Cromwell. Lord Protector, 1653-1658. Pattern AR Shilling. (26mm, 6h). Dies by Simon. Blondeau's mint, Drury House, London. Dated 1658. OLIVAR · D · G · R · P · ANG · SCO · HIB · & c · PRO, laureate and draped bust left / · PAX · QVÆRITVR · BELLO 16 58, crowned coat-of-arms. Lessen J28; ESC 1005; North 2747; SCBC 3228. In NGC encapsulation graded MS 63. Deeply toned. (\$3000)

From the Patrick H. James Collection.



1741. STUART. Charles II. 1660-1685. AR Medal (56mm, 76.48 g, 12h). Commemorating the Treaty of Breda, 31 July 1667. By J. Roettiers. ★ CAROLVS · SECVNDS · DEI · GRATIA · MAG · BRI · FRAN · ET · HIB · REX, laureate head right / FAVENTE DEO (*By God's favor*), Britannia seated left on rocky outcropping, beside hill, head turned toward fleet of ships in background, holding filleted spear in right hand and resting left hand on Union shield; in background to left, ship under sail left with fleet in distance, personification of the sun above; BRITANNIA in exergue. Edge: ✠ + ✠ CAROLVS ★ SECVNDS ★ PACIS ★ ET ★ IMPERII ★ RESTITVOR ★ AVGVSTVS (*Charles II, august restorer of peace and of the empire*). Van Loon II p. 522; MI 535/186; Eimer 241. EF, attractively toned. (\$1000)

From the RAJ Collection, purchased from Chris Eimer, January 2005.

Signed at the Dutch city of Breda on 31 July 1667, the Treaty of Breda brought the Second Anglo-Dutch War (1665-1667) to a hasty end due to the invasion of the Southern Netherlands by Louis XIV. Prompted by Michiel de Ruyter's successful 'Raid on the Medway' a little more than a month earlier, which gave the Dutch control of the seas around the southern coast of England, the English quickly sued for peace. Under the terms of the treaty, the Dutch East India Company secured its control of the East Indies and the lucrative worldwide trade in nutmeg. They also gained concessions to the English Navigation Acts, which now allowed them to import German goods into England. In the long term, however, the treaty provided England with the opportunity to expand its overseas empire in North America. The unwillingness of the Dutch to recover Nieuw-Nederland, taken by the English in 1664 (its restoration had been an English concession to peace), now gave England full control of several new colonies (New York, New Jersey, Delaware, and Pennsylvania), as well as the city of Nieuw-Amsterdam - now renamed New York City. The restoration of Acadia by the English to the French foreshadowed the series of wars that would be fought between the two powers for dominance in the North American theater, culminating in the French and Indian War (1754-1763).



1742. STUART. James II. 1685-1688. AR Crown (40mm, 29.89 g, 6h). London (Tower) mint. Dually dated 1687 and RY TERTIO. IACOBVS DEI GRATIA, laureate and draped bust left / · MAG · BR · FRA · ET · HIB · REX · 16 87, crowned cruciform coat-of-arms around rayed Garter star. Edge: + · DECVS · ET · TVTAMEN · · ANNO · REGNI · TERTIO · +. ESC 78; SCBC 3407. Near EF, toned, minor adjustment marks. (\$1000)

From the RAJ Collection. Ex Ponterio 58 (17 October 1992), lot 1191.



1743. HANOVER. George III. 1760-1820. AR Half Dollar (35mm, 13.18 g). Emergency issue. Struck 1799. Oval countermark of George III on a 1776 MI (LIMÆ) Lima mint 4 Reales of Carlos III of Spain. For countermark: ESC 611; SCBC 3767. For coin: ME 11780. Host coin Fine, countermark VF. (\$300)

From the Joseph R. Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Joseph Lepczyk, 27 June 1983.



1744. HANOVER. George III. 1760-1820. CU Twopence (41mm, 58.47 g, 6h). Second issue, 'Cartwheel' type. Soho (Birmingham) mint. Dated 1797. GEORGIUS III · D : G · REX, laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right / BRITANNIA, Britannia seated left on Union shield, holding olive branch in extended right hand and trident in left; at a distance to left, ship sailing right; 1797 below. Peck 1077; SCBC 3776. Choice EF, even brown surfaces. (\$300)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 73 (13 September 2006), lot 1288.



1745. HANOVER. George III. 1760-1820. CU Halfpenny (34mm, 18.78 g, 6h). Fourth issue. Soho (Birmingham) mint. Dated 1806. GEORGIUS III · D : G · REX., laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right; 1806 below / BRITANNIA, Britannia seated left on Union shield, holding olive branch in extended right hand and trident in left; at a distance to left, ship sailing right; SOHO on rock to lower right. Peck 1342; SCBC 3780. UNC, red-brown surfaces. (\$200)



1746. HANOVER. George III. 1760-1820. AR Sixpence (19.5mm, 2.83 g, 12h). New coinage. London mint. Dated 1817. GEOR : III D : G : BRITT : REX F : D., laureate head right; 1817 below / Crowned coat-of-arms within collar of the Order of the Garter. ESC 1632; SCBC 3794. Choice EF, lightly toned. (\$200)

Handsome 1911 Proof Set with Case



1747. WINDSOR. George V. 1910-1936. Specimen Set. First coinage. London mint. Dated 1911. Includes: AV Five Pounds // AV Two Pounds // AV Sovereign // AV Half Sovereign // AR Halfcrown // AR Florin // AR Shilling // AR Sixpence // AR Maundy Groat // AR Maundy Threepence // AR Maundy Twopence // AR Maundy Penny. SCBC PS11. Proof, the silver attractively toned. In original case of issue. (\$5000)

From the Patrick H. James Collection.



1748. WINDSOR. George V. 1910-1936. Proof AV Two Pounds (28.5mm, 16.04 g, 12h). London mint. Dated 1911. GEORGIVS V DEI GRA : BRITT : OMN : REX FID : DEF : IND : IMP ;, bare head left / St. George on horseback rearing right, holding reins and sword and slaying dragon to lower right; 1911 in exergue. W&R 415; SCBC 3995. Proof. Exceptional. (\$2000)



1749. SCOTLAND. William I 'the Lion'. 1165-1214. AR Penny (19.5mm, 1.11 g, 4h). Third (Short Cross & Stars) coinage, phase A. Edinburgh mint; Hue, moneyer. Struck 1195-circa 1205. + WILELOI R, head right wearing pelleted crown; quatrefoil-tipped scepter before / + h v e : o n e d i e b n r, voided cross pattée, with star in each angle (four stars of six points). Burns 2; SCBI 35 (Ashmolean & Hunterian), 49 (same dies); SCBC 5027. VF, toned. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Elsen 104 (13 March 2010), lot 339.



1750. SCOTLAND. James VI. 1567-1625. AR Testoon. (30mm, 1h). Revaluation of 1578 on a Second period, Group II issue of Mary & Francis. Edinburgh mint. Dated 1560. FRAN · ET · MA · D · G · R · R · FRANCO · SCOTOR Q, crowned coat-of-arms; cross to left, X to right / · VICIT · LEO · DE · TRIBV · IVDA · 1560 ·, crowned FM monogram; [crowned lis to left], crowned thistle to right. C/m: crowned thistle. For host coin: Burns 14; SCBI 35 (Ashmolean & Hunterian), 1093; SCBC 5418. FOR C/M: SCBC P. 70. In NGC encapsulation graded AU 50. Toned. (\$750)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection.

The value of silver continually rose during the early years of James' reign, and soon the metal content of the Scottish coinage was considerably higher than face value. Consequently, silver coinage began to disappear from circulation, being melted down or sold abroad. In July of 1578, the Privy Council passed an act authorizing the revaluation of the coinage. Silver coins would be bought in by the Mint and released to circulate at a higher value by the addition of a crowned thistle countermark. Under this new valuation, a ryal, for example, worth 30 shillings face, would be bought in at 32s/6d, revalidated and returned to the supplier with a higher value of 36s/9d. However, the Mint collected a 4s/3d "handling fee" per ryal. In other words, the supplier would get back a value of metal exactly equal to what he put in, while the state collected a 12% surcharge. This measure was obviously very unpopular, and, in 1581, a new revalued coinage had to be introduced.



1751. SCOTLAND. James VII, as James II of England. 1685-1689. AR 40 Shillings (34mm, 18.51 g, 12h). Dually dated 1687 and RY TERTIO. IACOBUS · II · DEI · GRATIA ·, laureate, draped, and armored bust right; :40· (denomination) below / · MAG · BRIT · FRA · ET · HIB · REX · 16 87, crowned coat-of-arms. Edge: NEMO · ME · IMPUNE · LACESSIT : ANNO · REGNI · TERTIO : 3 :. Burns 1 (fig. 1062); SCBI 35 (Ashmolean & Hunterian) 1675-6; SCBC 5637. EF, toned. (\$2000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group Inventory 908531 (October 2011).

Very Rare Catrine Cotton Works Countermarked Dollar



1752. SCOTLAND, Countermarked coinage. Ayrshire, Catrine. Catrine Cotton Works. AR Four Shillings Nine Pence (40mm, 26.94 g). Countermarked circa 1800. CATRINE · COTTON · WORKS · NO 5048 around 4/9 within circle, 8 8 8 between, all countermarked on a 1793 Mo FM 8 Real of Carlos IV of Spain. Hodge, "Secret Marks on Merchant Countermarked Silver Coins," in *BNJ* 79 (2009), p. 240-2 (unlisted registration number); Manville 18 (unlisted registration number); KM CC17. Host coin Fine, countermark VF, toned. Very rare. (\$5000)

For another extremely rare countermarked issue, see lot 1763.



1753. SCOTLAND, Countermarked coinage. Inverness-shire, Inverness. Inverness Kirk. AR Crown (38mm, 27.61 g). Two circular countermarks: INVERNESS KIRK, crown over sword and crown over sword; I S flanking. Both on an 1821 Crown of George IV. For countermark: Manville –; KM –. For coin: SCBC 3805. Host coin Fine, countermark VF. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Norman Brodie Collection (Dix, Noonan, & Webb 55, 8 October 2002), lot 228; N. Griffiths Collection (Glendining, 17 November 1977), lot 228; Glendining (22 October 1970), lot 473.



1754. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Sihtric III Olafsson. 995-1036. AR Penny (20mm, 1.50 g, 3h). Phase I coinage, Long Cross type. Difelin (Dublin) mint; Faeremin, moneyer. Struck circa 1000-1010. **+ SIHTRIC RE+ DYFLI**, draped bust left; pellet behind / **+ FÆREMIN II+ DYFLI**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends. O'S –; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 17; D&F 5; SCBC 6103. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$2000)

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1755. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Sihtric III Olafsson. 995-1036. AR Penny (19mm, 1.11 g, 6h). Phase I coinage, Short Cross type. Eoferwic (York) mint signature; 'Arnthorr,' moneyer. Struck circa 1010-1016. **+ ZIHTR F RE+ DFLI**, diademed and draped bust left / **+ ARNDORR II+ O EOFF**, short cross pattée. O'S –; SCBI –; D&F 19; SCBC 6118. VF, peck marks. Rare – unlisted 'moneyer' for type. (\$750)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 22 February 2010.



1756. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Sihtric III Olafsson. 995-1036. AR Penny (18.5mm, 0.85 g, 12h). Phase II coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature; 'Nernii,' moneyer. Struck circa 1018-1035. **+ HNTRC RE+ II-N[...]**, draped bust left; two pellets before, cross behind / **+ NER RNII II HO IEIT**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; pellet in each angle. O'S –; SCBI 22 (Copenhagen), 82 (same dies); D&F 23; SCBC 6125. Good VF, toned, struck from worn dies. (\$500)

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1757. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Sihtric III Olafsson. 995-1036. AR Penny (17.5mm, 1.20 g, 7h). Phase II coinage, Long Cross type. Difelin (Dublin) mint signature; 'Nirinn,' moneyer. Struck circa 1018-1035. **+ IHTRC RE+ IDIFHI**, draped bust left; inverted crozier behind / **+ NI RII II HO DFII**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; pellet in each angle. O'S 12 (same rev. die as illustration); SCBI 22 (Copenhagen), 88 (same dies); D&F 23; SCBC 6125A. Good VF, toned. (\$500)

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1758. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Sihtric III Olafsson. 995-1036. AR Penny (17.5mm, 0.57 g, 10h). Phase II coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. Struck circa 1018-1035. Draped bust left; E on bust; pellet-in annulet behind; illegible legend / **+ IID EN**[...] **OIID EINI**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; E in first quarter. Blackburn & Seaby, "The 'Francis' and 'Brand' Parcels of Hiberno-Norse Coins," *BNJ* 46 (1976), F6 (this coin); cf. O'S 14; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 121 (same dies?); D&F 23; SCBC 6126. VF, toned, obverse legend obscured by double striking. (\$300)

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1759. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1035-1055/60. AR Penny (17.5mm, 0.86 g, 7h). Phase III coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **+ IITIDFILFIDI**, draped bust left / **+ I- I' LI LI**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; pellet in first quarter, 'hand' in second and third quarters. O'S —; SCBI 22 (Copenhagen), 188 (same dies); D&F 24; SCBC 6132. Superb EF, toned, thin flan crack. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Wade Hinderling, 13 April 2010.



1760. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1035-1055/60. AR Penny (17.5mm, 1.01 g, 11h). Phase III coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **+(HNN)E(NN)NNN(NNN)I**, draped bust left; cross pomée behind / **IIII IIII** **III III+**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; 'hand' in second and third quarters. O'S —; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 289 (same dies); D&F 24; SCBC 6132. Near EF, toned. (\$300)

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1761. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1035-1055/60. AR Penny (17mm, 0.87 g, 10h). Phase III coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **+ IHTDENCIII**, draped bust left; three small pellets and wedge on neck / **+ E NOI NO DI-I**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; 'hand' in second and third quarters, tiny pellets in first and fourth. O'S —; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 269 (same dies); D&F 24; SCBC 6132. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

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1762. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1035-1055/60. AR Penny (17mm, 0.90 g, 6h). Phase III coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **+ III+IIIRIIDIEII**, draped bust left; quatrefoil of pellets on neck / **+ III DIDI I+II IDII**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; pellets in first and fourth quarters, 'hand' in second, 8 in fourth. O'S 20; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 278 (same dies); D&F 24; SCBC 6132. EF, toned. (\$500)

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1763. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1055/60-1065. AR Penny (17mm, 1.06 g, 3h). Phase IV ('scratched die') coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **+ IIIRIHOIIIOIIIO**, draped bust left; numerous pellets around / **IMI IML IIR IIM**, voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; two pellets in first quarter, 'hand' in second, trefoil of pellets in third, X and two pellets in fourth. O'S 22; SCBI 32 (Ulster), 310-5; D&F 25; SCBC 6134. VF, toned. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, purchased from Davissons, 26 April 2010.



1764. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1065-1085/95. AR Penny (17mm, 0.86 g). Phase V coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. [...]**IDIH**, draped bust left / **IDI** **CH** [...], voided long cross, with triple crescent ends; 'hand' in second quarter, annulet in third. O'S –; SCBI –; D&F 28; SCBC 6138. VF, toned, areas of weak strike. (\$500)

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1765. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1065-1085/95. AR Penny (18mm, 0.54 g). Phase V coinage, Facing Bust type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. Stylized facing bust wearing pyramidal helmet / Voided long cross; 'hand' in one quarter, **z** symbol in others. O'S 46; SCBI –; D&F 29; SCBC 6176. VF, toned. Well struck. Rare. (\$1000)

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1766. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1095/1100-1150. AR Penny (18mm, 0.46 g). Phase VI coinage, Long Cross type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. Bust left; crozier before, quatrefoil on neck / Voided long cross; pellets and scepters in opposite quarters. O'S 22; SCBI 8 (BM), 366-75; D&F 32; SCBC 6187. Good VF, toned. (\$1000)

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1767. IRELAND, Hiberno-Norse. Circa 1110-1150. AR Penny (20mm, 0.83 g). Phase VII (semi-bracteate) coinage, Quatrefoil type. Uncertain mint signature and moneyer. **HH+HHHHH** [...], bust left / **HH** **HH** **HH** **HH** **HH**, quatrefoil over long cross. O'S 65; SCBI 22 (Copenhagen), 251-2; D&F 33; SCBC 6191. Good VF. Very rare. (\$1500)

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Very Rare Castle Comer Colliery Countermarked Dollar



1768. IRELAND, Countermarked coinage. Kilkenny. Castle Comer Colliery. AR Dollar (41mm, 26.63 g). Countermarked circa 1804-1806 by Anne, Countess of Ormonde. PAYABLE · AT · CASTLE · COMER · COLLIERY · around 5s., 5d within a tuliped oval border; all within serrated oval cartouche on a 1796 Mo FM 8 Real of Carlos IV of Spain. W.A.. Seaby, "Castle Comer Tokens: An Inquiry" in *BNJ* 34 (1965), pl. XV, 3 (this coin); Manville 108 (this coin cited); KM 145. Host coin Fine, countermark VF, toned. Very rare. (\$10,000)

From the Jonathan K. Kern Collection. Ex W.E. McLaughlin (Dix, Noonan, & Webb 89, 29 September 2010), lot 1944, purchased from Baldwin's, 1987; Glendining (14 December 1967), lot 249; Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin 474 (November 1957), no. 7356; D.S. Napier Collection (Glendining, 30 May 1956), lot 299; R.F. Peltzer Collection (Glendining, 20 June 1927), lot 237.

For another extremely rare countermarked issue, see lot 1747.

Pattern Irish Æ Reul – Four Known to Brady



1769. IRELAND, Saorstát Éireann (Irish Free State). 1922-1937. Pattern Æ Reul – Sixpence (21mm, 3.31 g, 12h). Lorioli Castelli's (Milan) mint. Dies by Morbiducci. Dated 1927. · saorstát éireann ·, harp; · 1927 · below, PROVA to lower right / Hound standing left, head reverted; · Reul · / 6 in exergue; above, F. MOR= / BIDVCCI. Brady, Gerard, "The Morbiducci Patterns, An Enquiry," in *NumCirc* LXXXIV.6 (June 1976), p. 236-8, 28-31; SCBC –; D&F –; cf. KM Pr5 (nickel). EF, some spotting. Rare – Brady knew of only four specimens in bronze. (\$2000)

The Irish Free State was established in 1926, formally ending centuries of British rule. The new nation, desiring a coinage distinct from that of their previous leaders, soon formed a committee with the aim of selecting new and uniquely Irish coin designs. With the poet W.B. Yeats as the chair, committee members reviewed submissions from Irish, English, and continental artists. Eventually, in an attempt to avoid inflammatory political or religious messages, the group decided on an agricultural theme, highlighting the natural bounty of Ireland.

The Michael Joffre Collection of Anglo-Gallic Coinage



My journey collecting Anglo-Gallic pieces began about 18 years ago, when my close friend and numismatic mentor Bill Whetstone offered me a nice denier of Eleanor of Aquitaine. Of course, the next purchases were the Elias catalogs, both the reference book and auction sale. With these tools in hand, I set off on a wonderful collecting journey.

As a lifetime Montreal resident, the history of French and English conflict is always fresh in my mind. Being a full-time coin dealer, and owner of Carsley Whetstone, gave me many avenues to discover new Anglo-Gallic treasures. Some of the pieces did come my way via local purchases here in Canada, others from more traditional sources like auctions, mail order lists, and eBay. Many others, however, were acquired through collecting friendships I developed with people both in Europe and North America. Steve Ford and I began corresponding about 15 years ago...both of us being the “young guys” in the collecting area at the time. His passion and scientific pursuit of information for this series is astounding. I consider him to be the current world expert on the subject, and am privileged to have learned, and acquired some special pieces from him.

As you will see from the listings, many of the coins are very rare or nearly unique, and putting together another grouping like this would be a formidable challenge, regardless of budget. Of particular note, there are six coins from Bergerac, an Elias 183, an Elias 217 La Rochelle, which I believe to have discovered the first example, and many rare Edward III pieces, including some not listed in Elias. Much of the collection has been displayed over the years at local coin clubs, including the Montreal Numismatic Society, and the Lakeshore Coin Club, both of which I have been the long serving President. My hope is that in new hands my collection will create the same passion I enjoyed, and it will spur yet more research into the Hundred Years War, and its coinage.

— Michael Joffre

All of the following Anglo-Gallic coins are from the Joffre Collection. References to SCBC in this section refer to *Standard Catalogue of British Coins*, volume 2, *Coins of Scotland, Ireland and the Islands including Anglo-Gallic coins* (Spink, 2015 [forthcoming]), based on the work of Steve Ford and Paul and Bente R. Withers, *Anglo-Gallic Coins* (Galata, 2015 [forthcoming]). Reattributions from Edward III to Edward II are also based on the latter work.

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1770. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry II (Henri I d'Aquitaine). 1154-1189. BI Denier (17.5mm, 0.85 g, 4h). Bordeaux mint. ✠ **HENRICVS** **RE**✠, cross pattée / ✠ o / **AOVI/TANI** o ✠ in four lines. SCBC 8001; Elias 1; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1030; Elias Collection 6; Boudeau 468; Poey d'Avant 2756. VF, minor areas of weak strike. (\$150)



1771. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry II (Henri I d'Aquitaine). 1154-1189. BI Obol (14mm, 0.47 g, 10h). Bordeaux mint. ✠ **HENRICVS**, cross pattée; annulets in first and fourth quarters / **RE**✠ across field; **M** above, ✠ below. SCBC 8003; Elias 3; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1032; Elias Collection 9; Boudeau 470; Poey d'Avant 2759. VF, toned. Very rare. (\$300)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex Comptoir Général Financier Monnaies 3 (22 October 1997), lot 517.



1772. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Denier (18.5mm, 0.83 g, 4h). Type 1. Bordeaux mint. ✠ / **RICARDVS** / **W** in four lines / ✠ **AOVI/TANI**, cross pattée. SCBC 8004; Elias 4; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1033; Elias Collection 10a; Boudeau 471; Poey d'Avant 2768. VF, toned. (\$100)



1773. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Denier (17mm, 0.99 g, 7h). Type 1. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Ψ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. SCBC 8004; Elias 4; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1033; Elias Collection 10a; Boudeau 471; Poey d'Avant 2768. VF, toned. Slightly rotated double strike. A rare and unusual error for this series. (\$300)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2677; Civrac Hoard.



1774. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Denier (18mm, 0.82 g, 10h). Type 1. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Ψ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. Unpublished with retrograde reverse legend, but for retrograde obverse see SCBC 8004; Elias 4d; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1033A; Elias Collection 12. VF, reverse slightly off center. Rare variety. (\$300)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2687; Civrac Hoard.



1775. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Denier (17.5mm, 0.91 g, 12h). Type 2. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Σ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. SCBC 8006; Elias 5; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1035; Elias Collection 13; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2762. VF, faint cleaning marks on reverse. (\$200)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2692; Civrac Hoard.

1776. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Denier (18.5mm, 0.78 g, 6h). Type 2. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Σ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. SCBC 8006; Elias 5 var.; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1035 var.; Elias Collection 13 var.; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2762 var. (all with normal N). VF, lightly toned. Unlisted variety with retrograde N. (\$200)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2693; Civrac Hoard.



1777. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Obole (13.5mm, 0.32 g, 8h). Type 1. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Ψ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. SCBC 8005; Elias 6; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1034; Elias Collection 15; Boudeau 472; Poey d'Avant 2769. VF, some roughness. (\$100)

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1778. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. As Duke of Aquitaine, 1172-1189. BI Obole (15mm, 0.33 g, 8h). Type 2. Bordeaux mint. Σ / **RICAR**/RDV%/ Σ in four lines / Σ **ÆG**VITANIE, cross pattée. SCBC 8007; Elias 7; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1036; Elias Collection –; Boudeau 473; Poey d'Avant –. Near VF, toned, light porosity, flan crack, ragged flan. Extremely rare. (\$400)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2695; Civrac Hoard.



1779. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. 1189-1199. BI Denier (19.5mm, 1.05 g, 4h). Poitou mint. ✠ **RICARDVS REX**, cross pattée / **PIC/TAVIE/NSIS** in three lines. SCBC 8008; Elias 8 corr. (barred A on rev.); Duplessy, *Féodales* 920 var. (unbarred A on rev.); Elias Collection 18a corr. (barred A on rev.); Boudeau 424; Poey d'Avant 2505 var. (unbarred A on rev.). Good VF, toned. (\$100)

The Elias references describe this type in the text as having unbarred A's on both sides, yet the illustrated examples all have unbarred A's on the obverse and barred A's on the reverse.

1780. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. 1189-1199. BI Denier (19mm, 1.15 g, 10h). Poitou mint. ✠ **RICARDVS REX**, cross pattée; annulet in third quarter / **PIC/TAVIE/NSIS** in three lines. SCBC 8008; Elias 8b; Duplessy, *Féodales* 926; Elias Collection 18c; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2536. VF, toned. (\$150)

1781. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. 1189-1199. BI Obol (14mm, 0.42 g, 12h). Poitou mint. ✠ **RICARDVS REX**, cross pattée / **PIC/TAVIE/NSIS** in three lines. SCBC 8009; Elias 9; Duplessy, *Féodales* 921; Elias Collection 21a; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2562 var. (barred A's in legends). VF, toned. Very rare. (\$150)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 72 (14 June 2006), lot 2704.

Denier of Issoudun



1782. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard I. 1189-1199. BI Denier (18mm, 0.86 g, 3h). Issoudun mint. Struck 1195-1199. • **RICTRD' REX**, cross pattée / ✠ **E*OLDVNI**, Ω; bar above, annulet below. SCBC 8010; Elias 10; Duplessy 714; Elias Collection 23; Boudeau 294; Poey d'Avant 1993. Near VF, minor porosity, small flan crack. Extremely rare – none in CoinArchives. (\$500)

Ex Elsen 60 (11 December 1999), lot 1213.



1783. ANGLO-GALLIC. Eleanor of Aquitaine. 1189-1204. BI Denier (17mm, 0.91 g, 1h). Bordeaux mint. ✠ **DVCLAIT**, Ω / ✠ / Δ / ✠ **ΛGVITANIE**, cross pattée. SCBC 8011; Elias 11; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1025 (Guillaume X); Elias Collection 24; Boudeau 466; Poey d'Avant 2741. VF, toned. (\$200)

Duplessy gives this issue to the time of Guillaume X on the strength of the Saucats hoard, containing 749 deniers of this type, along with 5 of the first type of Louis VII. As no issues of the two intervening kings, Henry II or Richard I, were found in the hoard, this type may be more properly dated to the early 12th century during the time of Guillaume X.



1784. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. As “son of Henry, King of England,” 1252-1272. BI Denier au lion (18mm, 0.86 g, 3h). Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVWARD' FILI' :**, leopard passant to left; pellet on tail / **✠ R' REGIS ANGLIE :**, cross pattée. SCBC 8013; Elias 13c; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1037 var. (legend stops); Elias Collection 31; Boudeau 474 var. (legend stops); Poey d'Avant 2786 var. (same). Good VF. (\$200)

1785. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. As “son of Henry, King of England,” 1252-1272. BI Obole au lion (14.5mm, 0.35 g, 2h). Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVWARD' FILI' :**, leopard passant to left / **✠ R' REGIS ANGLIE :**, cross pattée. SCBC 8014; Elias 14a/14; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1038; Elias Collection —; Boudeau 475; Poey d'Avant 2788 var. (legend stops). VF, toned, flan crack. (\$150)



1786. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. 1272-1307. BI Denier à la croix longue (18mm, 0.93 g, 12h). Bordeaux mint. **✠ E[DV]TRDV R ANGL :**, leopard passant guardant to left / **DV✠ TOL T BV RDE**, long cross pattée. SCBC 8017; Elias 17 var.; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1041 var.; Elias Collection 38 var.; Boudeau —; Poey d'Avant 2774 var. (all with different obv. legend). VF, toned, ghosting. Very rare. (\$400)



1787. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. 1272-1307. BI Denier au léopard (18mm, 0.91 g, 2h). First type. Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVARDVS RE✠**, leopard to left; below, **AGL' / E / ✠ DV✠ TOL T BV RD**, short cross pattée; **E** in first quarter. SCBC 8018; Elias 18; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1042; Elias Collection 42; Boudeau 476 (Edward I and II); Poey d'Avant 2775. Good VF, toned. (\$150)

1788. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. 1272-1307. BI Denier au léopard (18mm, 0.93 g, 9h). Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVARDVS RE✠**, leopard to left; below, **AGL' / E / ✠ DV✠ TOL T BV RD**, short cross pattée; **E** in first quarter, crescent in second. SCBC 8020; Elias 20; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1044; Elias Collection 45; Boudeau 478 (Edward I and II); Poey d'Avant 2777. VF, toned, small part of edge ragged. (\$300)

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1789. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. 1272-1307. BI Obole au léopard (14mm, 0.41 g, 12h). First type. Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVARDVS RE✠**, leopard to left; below, **AGL' / E / ✠ DV✠ TOL T BV RD**, short cross pattée; **E** in first quarter. SCBC 8019; Elias 21; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1043; Elias Collection 47; Boudeau 477 (Edward I and II); Poey d'Avant 2776. VF, toned. Rare. (\$150)

1790. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward I. 1272-1307. BI Obole au léopard (14.5mm, 0.50 g, 8h). Bordeaux mint. **✠ EDVTRD[VS RE✠]**, leopard to left; below, **AGL' / E / ✠ DV✠ T[OL T BV R]D**, short cross pattée; **E** in first quarter, crescent in second. SCBC 8021; Elias 22; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1045; Elias Collection 49; Boudeau —; Poey d'Avant —. VF, hard green encrustations. Very rare. (\$200)



1791. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. AR Maille blanche Hibernie (20.5mm, 1.47 g, 5h). Tower (London) mint, for use in Bordeaux. Struck 1326-1327. ✠ ED' : REX' ANGLIE / ✠ BNDICTV : SIT : NOME : DNI : NRI, short cross pattée / ✠ DNS : HIBERNIE, châtel aquitanique; trefoil of pellets below; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves. SCBC 8026; Elias 32; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1049; Elias Collection 56; Boudeau 488 (Edward III); Poey d'Avant 2864. VF, crudely struck on a ragged flan. (\$150)

1792. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Double à la couronne (21.5mm, 1.28 g, 2h). First type. [✠ EDV]TRDVS REX, crown / MONETA [DVPLEX], cross calvary treflée. SCBC 8027; Elias 88 (Edward III); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1086 (Edward III); Elias Collection 159 (Edward III); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2884 (Edward III). Near VF, dark surfaces. Extremely rare – none in CoinArchives. (\$750)



1793. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Denier au léopard (17.5mm, 0.89 g, 7h). Fourth type. ✠ ED' : REX : ANGLIE, leopard passant left between two lines; MB' below / ✠ DVX : AGITANIE, short cross pattée; crown in second quarter. SCBC 8028; Elias 107a (Edward III); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1108 (Edward III); Elias Collection 191 (Edward III); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Near VF, toned, soft strike, faint ghosting. Rare. (\$100)

1794. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Obole au léopard (14mm, 0.51 g, 10h). Fourth type. ✠ ED' : REX : ANGLIE, leopard passant left between two lines; MB' below / ✠ DVX : AGITANIE, short cross pattée; crown in second quarter. SCBC 8029; Elias 110a (Edward III); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1109 (Edward III); Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned. Rare. (\$200)

1795. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Obole au léopard (13mm, 0.49 g, 10h). Fourth type. [✠ ED' :] DVX : AGITANIE, leopard passant left between two lines; MB' below / ✠ DVX : AGITANIE, short cross pattée; crown and pellet in second quarter. SCBC 8029; Elias 110c (Edward III); Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Elias Collection 200 (Edward III); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Near VF, toned, crude strike. Rare. (\$100)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 852.



1796. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Denier au léopard (17mm, 0.87 g, 8h). Fourth type. ✠ ED' : REX : ANGLIE, short cross pattée / ✠ DVX : AGITANIE, leopard passant left between two lines; G below. SCBC 8031; Elias 106 (Edward III); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1106 (Edward III); Elias Collection 189 (Edward III); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2778 (Edward I) corr. (Pl. LX, 17). Near VF, toned, weakly struck. Extremely rare. (\$500)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex Comptoir Général Financier Monnaies 5 (12 December 1998), lot 895.

1797. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward II. 1307-1327. BI Denier au léopard (18mm, 0.71 g, 4h). Third type. [✠ G]DVVTRDVS REX, leopard passant left between two lines; cross pattée above and below / ✠ DVX : AGITANIE, short cross pattée; G in first quarter. SCBC 8033; Elias 98 (Edward III) var. (letterforms); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1098 (Edward III) var. (same); Elias Collection 182 (Edward III); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2780 (Edward I) var. (same) corr. (Pl. LX, 18). Near VF, toned, slightly ragged edge, areas of weak strike. (\$150)

One of Four Known



1798. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros tournois à la croix mi-longue (25mm, 3.24 g, 11h). ✠ ED' : REX' ANGLIE/ ✠ BNDICTV : SIT : NO ME : DNI : DEI : NRI : I h v • ✠ PI, long cross pattée; secret mark: feather between T and n / ✠ DV ✠ : T G I T T N I E, châtell tournois; trefoil of pellets below; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves; secret mark: feather between T and n. SCBC 8062; Elias 52; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1056; Elias Collection 75 = Elias, "Un gros tournois d'Aquitaine inédit," in *BSFN* 33.8 (October 1978), p. 419; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –, Good VF, toned. Exceptional condition. Extremely rare – only the fourth known example. (\$2000)

Ex Comptoir Général Financier Monnaies 22 (17 March 2005), lot 248 (hammer of €1615).



1799. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. AR Esterlin – Sterling (19mm, 1.21 g, 12h). Bordeaux(?) mint. Struck circa 1335-1337 or 1344. ✠ EDVVTRD REX ANGL', crowned bust facing slightly left; below, leopard to left / DV ✠ : T O V I T T N I E, long cross pattée terminating in trefoils; crowns in quarters. SCBC 8047; Elias 56; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1060; Elias Collection 97; Boudeau 497; Poey d'Avant 2877. VF, toned. (\$200)



1800. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros au léopard passant – Blanc au leopard (23.5mm, 2.13 g, 3h). Struck spring 1348. **ED REX ANGLIE/ BNDICTVS SIT NOME DNI NRI DEI**, long cross pattée / **[X] DV* AGITANIE**, leopard passant left between two lines; all within tressure of arches containing leaves. SCBC 8057; Elias 59; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1063; Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d' Avant –. Fine, typical weak strike. Rare – only one example on CoinArchives (Spink 224, lot 563, hammered at £680). (\$2000)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

Currently Unpublished in the Standard References



1801. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros à la fleur de lis (15mm, 2.23 g, 7h). Struck 1349. **[X] N ED' REX ANGLIE/ [X] BNDICTVS SIT NOME DNI NRI D...**, short cross pattée, lis in second quarter / **[X] DV* AGITANIE**, large fleur-de-lis. Currently unpublished in the standard references, but see iNumis 24 (18 March 2014), lot 848 and SCBC 8056. VF, poorly struck. Extremely rare – only the second to appear at auction. (\$3000)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

Currently Unpublished in the Standard References



1802. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros au couronne (22.5mm, 1.75 g, 6h). Struck 1349. **[X] ED' REX ANGLIE/ [X] BNDICTVS SIT NOME DNI NRI D**, short cross pattée; secret mark: [asterisk between T and n?], annulet on L / **[X] DV* AGITANIE**, crown; secret mark: annulet to left, asterisk between T and n.; all within tressure of arches containing leaves. Currently unpublished in the standard references, but see SCBC 8059. VF. (\$2000)

Purchased from Steve Ford.



1803. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros au châtel aquitanique (26mm, 1.61 g, 11h). Struck 1350/1. **ED' REX ANGLIE/ [BNDICT]V SIT NOBIS DNI NRI DEI**, short cross pattée; secret mark: rosette before **ED**, small cross between **T** and **N**, small **T** on serif of **L** / **DX AGITANIE**, châtel aquitanique; steps below; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves; secret mark: small cross between **T** and **N**. SCBC 8058; Elias 61a var. (secret marks); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1065 var. (same); Elias Collection –; Boudeau 486; Poey d'Avant 2855 var. (same). VF, typical crude strike. Rare – none in CoinArchives. (\$500)



1804



1805

1804. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros tournois au léopard au-dessus (23.5mm, 2.09 g, 6h). Cross type. Struck 1351. **ED' REX ANGLIE/ BNDICTV SIT NOBIS DNI NRI DEI**, short cross pattée; secret marks: leaf between **T** and **N**, small cross on serif of **L** / **DX AGITANIE**, châtel tournois; steps below, cross between two pellets within; above, leopard to left; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves; secret mark: leaf between **T** and **N**. SCBC 8060; Elias 62e; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1066A; Elias Collection 115; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Fine, typical crude strike. Rare – none in CoinArchives. (\$300)

1805. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros tournois à la porte (25mm, 3.80 g, 11h). Struck 1351-1356. **ED' REX ANGLIE/ BNDICTV SIT NOBIS DNI NRI DEI IHV XPI**, short cross pattée; secret mark: asterisk between **T** and **N** / **DX AGITANIE**, châtel aquitanique; gateway below; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves; secret mark: asterisk between **T** and **N**. SCBC 8063; Elias 63; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1067; Elias Collection 120; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2856. Fine, toned, deposits. Rare. (\$400)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 845.



1806. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros tournois à la porte (24mm, 3.60 g, 3h). Struck 1351-1356. **ED' REX ANGLIE/ BNDICTV SIT NOBIS DNI NRI D**, short cross pattée; secret mark: hammerhead on **L** / **DX AGITANIE**, châtel aquitanique; gateway below with trefoil inside; all within tressure of arches containing twelve leaves; secret mark: asterisk between **T** and **N**. SCBC 8063; Elias 63k; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1067D; Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2858. VF, toned. Rare. (\$500)

Ex Elsen 72 (14 December 2002), lot 1005.



1807. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. Blanc au léopard sous couronne (20.5mm, 0.97 g, 12h). Second type. ✠ ED' : REX : ANGLIE/ ✠ BNDICT[: SIT] : NOMME : DNI : NRI : D, short cross pattée; lis in second quarter; secret mark: asterisk between A and N, pellet on L / ✠ DVX : AGITTNI, leopard passant left; crown above; all within tressure of eleven arches containing leaves; secret mark: asterisk between I and E. SCBC 8050; Elias 67f(?); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1071; Elias Collection –; Boudeau 491-2 (gros and demi-gros); Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned, crude. The weak strike makes the exact variety difficult to determine. Very rare. (\$500)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 847.



1808. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. Blanc au léopard sous couronne (23mm, 1.62 g, 6h). Contemporary imitation. ✠ ED : LVX : A[...]/ ✠ LV[...]/ ✠ LV[...], short cross pattée; lis in second quarter / ✠ LVX : AGVI[...], leopard passant left, small cross pattée below; crown above, cross below; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. Elias, "Notes on Anglo-Gallic Coins," in *NumCirc* XCVII.3 (April 1989), 2 var. (marks), otherwise unpublished. Fine, toned, crude, wavy. Extremely rare. (\$300)

The example described by Elias, while bearing the same basic types and legends, differs in a few important ways. Elias' example has a rosette below the leopard, a lis in the second quarter, and various secret marks in the legend. The present piece, however, bears a small cross pattée below the leopard and a leaf in the second quarter. Any secret marks are in the obscured parts of the legend.

1809. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros tournois à la couronne avec leopard (26mm, 1.55 g, 1h). Struck 1356-circa 1360. [✠ ED]D' : REX : ANGLIE/ [✠ BNDI]CTV · SIT[· NOMME · DNI : NRI : DE], short cross pattée / ✠ DVX : [AGITTNI], châtell tournois; steps below; above, leopard left; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. SCBC 8068; Elias 69; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1073 var. (legend stops); Elias Collection 145; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Poor, porous, split and punctured flan. Extremely rare. (\$300)

Extremely Rare Sterling à la Tête Barbue



1810. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Esterlin à la tête barbue (17.5mm, 0.82 g, 2h). Dax mint. Struck 1356-circa 1360. ✠ DVX : [AGITTNI], crowned and bearded facing head (of leopard?) / [CIVI TTS] AGH SIS, long cross pattée; trefoil in first quarter, crowns in second and third quarters, crown and pellet in fourth quarter. SCBC 8071; Elias 71 var.; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1076 var.; Elias Collection 146 var.; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2801 var. (legend and quarters). VF, crude, brown and green surfaces. An unpublished variety of an extremely rare issue. (\$1500)

Gros au Lion – Ex de Wit and Elias



1811. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Gros au lion (27mm, 3.11 g, 5h). Bordeaux mint. Struck circa 1360. **EDO VZR DVS REX / ✠ BNDICTV : SIT : NOME : DNI : NRI : DEI**, long cross pattée / **✠ MONETA ✠ BVRD'**, lion rampant left; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. SCBC 8072; Elias 74 (this coin illustrated); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1079; Elias Collection 148 (this coin); Boudeau 494; Poey d'Avant 2816. Good VF. Rare. (\$1500)

Ex G.W. de Wit Collection (Künker 121, 12 March 2007), lot 412; E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 148, purchased 1977.



1812. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Esterlin Guyennois – Sterling (20mm, 1.09 g, 5h). Second type. Struck 1361-1363. **✠ EDVVTRD REX • ANGL'**, crowned half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / **DNS TOV ITZ NIG**, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8076; Elias 84; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1085C; Elias Collection 154 = Spink 219 (24 September 2013), lot 316 (hammer £950); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2915. VF, toned, minor ghosting. Very rare – only one in CoinArchives. (\$1000)



1813. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Double au leopard sous couronne (19mm, 0.74 g, 10h). **✠ ED' REX ANGLIE**, large crown above leopard passant left; rosette below / **✠ MONETA DVPLEX** ✠, short cross pattée; crowns in first and fourth quarters. SCBC 8080; Elias 92c; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1092A; Elias Collection 167; Boudeau 500; Poey d'Avant 2895. VF, toned, minor ghosting. (\$200)

1814. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Double au leopard sous couronne (18mm, 1.01 g, 6h). **✠ ED' REX [ANGLIE]**, large crown above leopard passant left; trefoil below / **✠ MONETA [DVPLEX]**, short cross pattée; crowns and pellets in first and fourth quarters. SCBC 8080; Elias 92f; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1092C; Elias Collection 169; Boudeau 500; Poey d'Avant –. Fine, toned, some ghosting. (\$200)

1815. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Denier au léopard (16.5mm, 0.75 g, 6h). Second type. **✠ EDVTRDVS REX**, leopard passant left atop **ANGLI** between lines; rosette below / **✠ DVX AGITANIE**, short cross pattée. SCBC 8090; Elias 95b; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1095A; Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2793 (Edward I). VF, toned. (\$200)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 849.



1816. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Denier au léopard (18mm, 0.83 g, 12h). Third type. **✠ ED' R** [✠] **✠ T]H6LI** [✠], leopard passant left between two lines; Babove, **0** below / **✠ DV** [✠] **✠ TGIT]NI** [✠], short cross pattée. SCBC 8092; Elias 103 var. (stops); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1103 var. (same); Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned, light deposits. (\$300)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

1817. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Obole au léopard (13mm, 0.37 g, 10h). Fourth type. **✠ ED' R** [✠] **✠ T]H6LI** [✠], leopard passant left between two lines; rosette below / **✠ DV** [✠] **✠ TGIT]NI** [✠], short cross pattée; crown in first quarter. SCBC 8097; Elias 111; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1112; Elias Collection 201; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2883 corr. (incorrect illustration). VF, toned, slightly irregular flan. Very rare. (\$150)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 851.



1818a



1818b



1819



1818. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. Lot of two (2) BI Deniers au lion. (a) (17mm, 0.72 g, 8h). Struck after 1361. **✠ ED' R** [✠] **✠ T]H6LI** [✠], leopard passant right / **✠ D]NS** [✠] **✠ TGIT]NI** [✠], short cross pattée. SCBC 8098; Elias 116; Duplessy, *Féodales* 114B; cf. Elias Collection 212; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant – // (b) (18.5mm, 0.62 g, 3h). Bordeaux mint. Struck after 1361. **✠ E]D' R** [✠] **✠ T]H6LI** [✠], leopard couchant left; **B** / **✠ D]NS** [✠] **✠ TGIT]NI** [✠], short cross pattée. SCBC 8099; Elias 117; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1115; Elias Collection 214; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2824. Fair, flan cracks. Both very rare. Two (2) coins in lot. SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. (\$100)

1819. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Denier au lion (18mm, 0.62 g, 4h). Struck after 1361. **✠ ED' R** [✠] **✠ T]H6LI** [✠], leopard couchant left; **R** / **✠ D]NS** [✠] **✠ TGIT]NI** [✠], short cross pattée. SCBC 8099; Elias 121 corr. (stops); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1115; Elias Collection 219; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Near VF, struck on a broad flan. Very rare. (\$300)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex Rev. Kenneth McCarthy Collection (Classical Numismatic Group 41, 19 March 1997), lot 3078 (part of).

First to be Offered at Auction



1820. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward III. 1327-1377. BI Double (23mm, 1.42 g, 8h). **✠]EDVV]RDVS** [✠] **✠ REX**, **HGL** [✠] **✠ FRHC** in two lines; omega-shaped bar above and below **HGL** [✠] **✠ MON]ET] DVPLEX**, cross calvary fleurée. SCBC 8087; Elias 124; Duplessy, *Féodales* –; Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned. Well struck. Very rare – apparently the first of this type to be sold at auction. (\$2500)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

Six Bergerac Issues of Henry of Lancaster



1821. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Earl of Lancaster, 1347-1351. BI Gros tournois à la couronne (24.5mm, 2.54 g, 9h). Bergerac mint. **hēn' COM L^z NCE/ [X] BNDICTV • [S]I [T • NO] M [E • DNI • NRI • DEI • I h V • XPI]**, long cross pattée; secret marks: lis on serif of **L**, small **B** between **T** and **N** / **X DNS BRATGTRTCTII**, châtel tournois enclosing crown; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. SCBC 8103; Elias 127 var. (legend); Elias, *Bergerac* 2.1.1-7 var. (same); Duplessy, *Féodales* 994; Elias Collection 223-5 var. (same); Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant 2700 var. (same). VF, toned, ragged edges. The first A in the mint name is engraved over a G. Extremely rare. (\$2500)

On 24 August 1345, the key strategic town of Bergerac fell to English forces led by Henry of Lancaster, who had recently been appointed Captain-General and Lieutenant in Aquitaine by Edward III. Henry, a cousin of the King, was one of England's most successful military commanders in the early stages of the Hundred Years War. In 1347, he was rewarded by Edward III with the privilege of striking coins in Bergerac in his own name and enjoying the profit thereof.



1822. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Earl of Lancaster, 1347-1351. BI Gros tournois au léopard au-dessus (23mm, 1.90 g, 7h). Bergerac mint. **X hēn' COM LANCST/ [X] BNDICTV • [S]IT • [N]OME [E • DNI • NRI • DEI]**, short cross pattée; secret marks: cross on **L** / **X] DNS BRATGTRTCTI**, châtel tournois with cross on spire and three annulets within; above, leopard to left; all within tressure of ten arches containing leaves. SCBC 8109; Elias 129d; Elias, *Bergerac* 4.5.1; Duplessy, *Féodales* 996; cf. Elias Collection 230; Boudeau 455 var. (legend); Poey d'Avant 697-8 var. (same). VF, toned, flat strike towards edge. Very rare. (\$2000)

Ex Comptoir Général Financier Monnaies 22 (17 March 2005), lot 221.

From the Elias Collection



1823. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Earl of Lancaster, 1347-1351. BI Gros tournois au léopard au-dessus (21.5mm, 1.55 g, 4h). Bergerac mint. **X hēn' COM LANC/ [X] BNDICTV • [S]IT • [N]OME [E • DNI • NRI • DEI]**, short cross pattée; secret marks: pellet on **L** / **DNS BRATGTRTCTI**, châtel tournois with cross on spire and crescent flanked by annulets within; above, leopard to left; all within tressure of eleven arches containing leaves. SCBC 8109; Elias 129i; Elias, *Bergerac* 4.10.1 = Elias Collection 234 (this coin); Duplessy, *Féodales* 996B; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned, areas of weak strike, some ghosting. Very rare. (\$2000)

Ex E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 234; John D. Brand Collection.



1824. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Earl of Lancaster, 1347-1351. BI Gros à la couronne (24mm, 1.97 g, 1h). Bergerac mint. ✠ **HENR COMES LAN** / [✠ **BNDICTV** : **SIT** : **NOME** : **DNI** : **NR** : **DEI**], short cross pattée / ✠ **DNS** : **BRAT** : **IA** : **TC**, crown; annulet and crescent below; all within tressure of arches containing leaves. SCBC 8108; Elias 130a corr.; Elias, *Bergerac* 5.2.1 corr.; Duplessy, *Féodales* 997A; Elias Collection –; Boudeau –; Poey d’Avant 2686 corr. (legends). VF, toned, weak strike, copper stains on reverse. Very rare. (\$2500)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

In 1979, Elias was aware of only one specimen of this variety, described by Poey d’Avant in 1860, but subsequently absent from the Cabinet des Médailles. The present coin clarifies the legends for this very rare sub-variety.

With the Title Duke of Lancaster – Ex Elias Collection



1825. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Duke of Lancaster, 1351-1361. BI Gros au léopard couchant (25.5mm, 1.53 g, 12h). Bergerac mint. ✠ **EN DNS BRAT** : **IE** / [✠ **BNDICTV** : **SIT** : **NOME** : **DNI** : **NR** : **DEI**], cross calvary / Crowned lepard couchant left; **LANC** : **IA** : **IE** : **DV** : **✠** in two lines below; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. SCBC 8115; Elias 136; Elias, *Bergerac* 10.5.1 corr. (legends as 10.4.1) = Elias Collection 239 (this coin) corr. (Elias 136); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1003; Boudeau –; Poey d’Avant 2690. Near VF, toned, crude, weakly struck. Extremely rare. (\$2500)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 239, purchased from Peter Woodhead.

On 6 of March 1351, Edward III bestowed the title of Duke on Henry. This was an exceptional honor, giving Henry powers palatine for the county of Lancaster. Prior to Henry’s elevation, only one other ducal title had existed in England. The change in title is reflected in the issues in Henry’s name from Bergerac.



1826. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry of Lancaster. As Duke of Lancaster, 1351-1361. BI Gros au lion (26mm, 2.03 g, 10h). Bergerac mint. **ENO VRI COS DNS** / ✠ **BNDICTV** : **SI** : **T** : **NOME** : **DNI** : **NR** : **DEI** : **!** **Ih** : **V**, cross pattée / ✠ **MONET** : **BRAT** : **G**, lion rampant left; all within tressure of twelve arches containing leaves. SCBC 8118; Elias 138/138a (obv./rev.); Elias, *Bergerac* 13.1.1/13.3.1 (obv./rev.); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1005; Elias Collection; Boudeau –; Poey d’Avant –. VF, holed, areas of weak strike. Extremely rare. (\$1500)

Ex Elsen 95 (15 March 2008), lot 632.

Extensive Run of Black Prince Issues



1827. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (21.5mm, 2.24 g, 10h). Second issue. Agen mint. ✠ : ED' : PTRDVS : REGIS : ANGLIE : T, half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches; pellet-in-annulet below / GLIT : IN [XGELCIS] DGO : & IN T[R]T : PT / : PRI APS TO.I TTH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 170; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; cf. Elias Collection 256-7; Boudeau 510; cf. Poey d'Avant 2920. Near VF, toned. (\$200)

1828. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (23.5mm, 2.08 g, 7h). Second issue. Agen mint. ✠ : ED' : PO : GNS : REGIS : ANGLIE : T, half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLIT : IN XGELCIS DGO : & IN TRT : PT / : PRN APS TO.I TTH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 170 var. (single pellet on rev.); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; cf. Elias Collection 256-7; Boudeau 510; cf. Poey d'Avant 2920 var. (single pellet on rev.). Near VF, minor cleaning marks. (\$200)



1829. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (23mm, 2.25 g, 4h). Second issue. Dax mint. ✠ : ED' : PO : GNS : REGIS : NGELIE : (AS), half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLI : IN & XGELCIS DO : EL : IN TR : PX / [S]PRN APS O.I TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 174b; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; cf. Elias Collection 263-5; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant -. Near VF, lightly toned, scratch in obverse field. Rare. (\$200)

1830. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (22.5mm, 2.34 g, 4h). Second issue. Figeac mint. ✠ : ED' : PO : GNS : REGIS : NGELIE : F, half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GL : IN & XGELCIS DO : ET : IN TR : PX / : PRN APS O.I TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 176; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; Elias Collection 266; Boudeau 510; cf. Poey d'Avant 2958. Near EF, toned. Rare. (\$500)



1831. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (24mm, 2.12 g, 4h). First issue. Limoges mint. ✠ ED : PO : GNS : REGIS : ANGLIE : L, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLA : IN & XGELCIS DO : ET IN : TERA : PAX / PRN APS TO.I TTH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; Elias 177 var. (obv. legend stops); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; Elias Collection 269; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant 2965 var. (same). Near VF, toned, small flan crack. Rare. (\$200)

Ex Keith Smalley Collection (Spink 219, 24 September 2013), lot 324, purchased from Seaby, July 1978.



1832. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (24mm, 2.18 g, 12h). First issue. Uncertain mint (Limoges?). ✠ ED' ✠ PO ✠ GNS ✠ REGIS ✠ ANGLIA ✠ R[...], half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLIPI IN EX[...]ET IN TETRA PAX / PRI APS PO.V TPA, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; cf. Elias 179; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; cf. Elias Collection 270; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant —. Near VF, toned, areas of weak strike. Mint letter obscure, likely L. (\$150)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 854.



1833. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (25mm, 2.09 g, 8h). First issue. Poitiers mint. ✠ ED' ✠ PO ✠ GNS ✠ REGIS ✠ ANGLIA ✠ P, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLPI IN EX[...]DE ET IN TETRA PAX / PRN APS PO.I TPA, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; Elias 179b; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; Elias Collection —; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant 2985. Good VF, light cleaning scratches in fields, test cut on edge. Strong portrait. (\$300)



1834



1835



1836



1834. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (24mm, 2.22 g, 2h). Second issue. Poitiers mint. ✠ ED' PO' GENITV REGI ANGLIA P, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, pellet below, within tressure of arches / GP IN EX ELICI DE O ET IN TETRA PAX / PRN APS PO.I TPA, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 180a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; Elias Collection 274; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned, areas of weak strike. (\$150)

1835. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (23.5mm, 2.24 g, 1h). First issue. La Rochelle mint. ✠ ED' P'MO : GENIT : REGI : ANGLIA, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLPI IN EX XLIS DO ET IN TETRA PAX / R / PRN APS PO.V TPA, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; Elias 181a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; cf. Elias Collection 275; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned. Rare. (\$300)

1836. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (24mm, 2.14 g, 2h). Second issue. La Rochelle mint. ✠ : ED ✠ PO ✠ GNS ✠ REGIS ✠ ANGLIA ✠ R, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, pellet below, within tressure of arches / GLPI IN EX XLIS DE ET IN TETRA PAX / : PRN APS PO.I TPA, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8131; Elias 182; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124A; Elias Collection 276; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned, some weakness on portrait. (\$200)

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1837. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (24mm, 1.57 g, 7h). First issue. Tarbes mint. ✠ ED' PO GNS REG NGLI PNCIP T, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLIT IN XCELIS DEO E IN TRT PT PRN APS TOI TAN, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; Elias 183; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; Elias Collection –; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant –. Good VF, toned, minor areas of weakness. Extremely rare – only the second known, with none known to Elias, the other in private hands. (\$750)



1838. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Demi gros (23mm, 2.35 g, 2h). First issue. ✠ EDVVTRDVS PRIMO GENTV, half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction, within tressure of arches / GLIT IN XCELIS DEO E IN TRT PT PRN APS TOI TAN, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8130; Elias 185a var. (legend stops); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1124; Elias Collection –; Boudeau 510; Poey d'Avant –. VF, toned. (\$300)



1839. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18mm, 0.98 g, 11h). Second issue. Dax mint. ✠ ED' PO GNS REGIS (AS), half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / PRN APS TOI TAN, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 189; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 285; Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant –. Good VF. Excellent portrait. Rare. (\$500)



1840. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18mm, 1.20 g, 8h). Second issue. Figeac mint. ✠ : ED' • PO • GNS • REGIS • [S •]HGL F, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / • PRN APS Q.I TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 190 var. (shape of A on reverse); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 286 var. (same); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned. Very rare. (\$750)



1841. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (17mm, 0.88 g, 8h). Second issue. Figeac mint. ✠ : ED' • PO • GNS • REGIS • F, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / • PRN APS Q.I TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 190 var. (obv. legend stops); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 286 var. (same); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. Near VF, toned. Very rare. (\$300)

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1842. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18.5mm, 1.01 g, 6h). Second issue. Limoges mint. ✠ : ED' • PO • G[...]T • REGIS • THGL P, half-length figure of Edward right, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / • PRI APS Q.I TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 192; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection —; Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned, some ghosting. Rare. (\$300)



1843. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18mm, 1.04 g, 12h). Second issue. Poitiers mint. ✠ : ED' PO' GGT[...]IS P, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / • PRI APS Q.V TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 194a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 290-2 var. (same); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. Good VF, toned, minor doubling. (\$200)

1844. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (17mm, 0.98 g, 4h). Second issue. Poitiers mint. ✠ : ED' • PO • GIT • REGIS • THGL P, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / • PRI APS Q.V TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 194c; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 291 var. (rev. legend); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. Fine, toned. (\$150)

1845. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18mm, 0.88 g, 9h). Second issue. Poitiers mint. ✠ : ED' • PO • GIT • REGIS • THGL P, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction; pellet below / • PRI APS Q.V TH, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 194c; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 291 var. (rev. legend); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned, minor ghosting. (\$300)



1846. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (17mm, 0.72 g, 3h). Second issue. Tarbes mint. ✠ ∅ ED' ∅ PO ∅ GNS ∅ REGIS ∅ T, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / ∅ PRI APS TO.I TTN, long cross pattée, trefoils in quarters. SCBC 8133; Elias 198; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 297; Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant 3063. VF, toned, areas of weak strike. Rare. (\$400)

Ex Norwich Collection (Dix, Noonan, & Webb 62, 30 June 2004), lot 915, purchased from J. Peters, 1971.

1847. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Esterlin – Sterling (18.5mm, 1.07 g, 12h). First issue. ✠ ED PO GENI REGI ANGL, half-length figure of Edward right, wearing floral wreath, holding sword over right shoulder and raising left hand in benediction / PRN APS TO.I TTN, long cross pattée, trefoils with additional pellets in quarters. SCBC 8132; Elias 199 var. (no extra pellets); Duplessy, *Féodales* 1125A; Elias Collection 299 var. (same); Boudeau 511; Poey d'Avant –. Good VF, toned. Rare. (\$300)



1848. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Hardi d'argent (18mm, 1.01 g, 4h). Bordeaux mint. ED : PO : GNS REG : TGL · B, half-length figure of Edward facing beneath Gothic canopy, holding sword in right hand and raising left in benediction / ✠ PRN APS ✠ TO.I TTN, long cross pattée; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third. SCBC 8134; Elias 202; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1126; Elias Collection 307a; Boudeau 513; cf. Poey d'Avant 2950-3. VF, toned, ghosting. (\$200)

1849. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Hardi d'argent (19mm, 1.17 g, 4h). Limoges mint. ED PO GIR EG · TGA L, half-length figure of Edward facing beneath Gothic canopy, holding sword in right hand and raising left in benediction / ✠ PR I APS ✠ TO.T TNA, long cross pattée; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third. SCBC 8134; Elias 204; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1126; Elias Collection 310; Boudeau 513; Poey d'Avant 2978. VF, toned, area of weakness on face, ghosting. Struck on a broad flan. (\$150)



1850. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Hardi d'argent (19mm, 1.00 g, 4h). Poitiers mint. ED PO GENI REGI TGA, half-length figure of Edward facing beneath Gothic canopy, holding sword in right hand and raising left in benediction / PRN APS TO.PI TTN, long cross pattée; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third. SCBC 8134; Elias 205b; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1126; Elias Collection 313; Boudeau 513; Poey d'Avant 3006. VF, toned, slightly ragged flan. Rare. (\$200)



1851. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Hardi d'argent (18mm, 1.14 g, 1h). La Rochelle mint. **ED : PO : GNS REG : AGLEIA**, half-length figure of Edward facing beneath Gothic canopy, holding sword in right hand and raising left in benediction / **✠ PRN APS ✠ R AOIT ANIA**, long cross pattée; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third. SCBC 8134; Elias 206a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1126; Elias Collection 314; Boudeau 513; Poey d'Avant 3056. Good VF, toned. (\$300)

Ex Classical Numismatic Group 61 (25 September 2002), lot 2694 (part of).

1852. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. AR Hardi d'argent (19.5mm, 1.05 g, 3h). **ED PO : GNS : R AGI AGIA**, half-length figure of Edward facing beneath Gothic canopy, holding sword in right hand and raising left in benediction / **✠ PRN APS ✠ AOI ANIA**, long cross pattée; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third. SCBC 8134; Elias 208a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1126; Elias Collection 317; Boudeau 513; cf. Poey d'Avant 3095. VF, toned. Attractive portrait. Rare. (\$300)

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1853. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. BI Denier au lion (18mm, 0.89 g, 10h). Mule with a reverse die of Edward III. Poitiers mint. Struck circa 1362. **✠ ED : PO : GNS : REGI ANGL**, leopard couchant right; **P** below; all within tressure of arches / **✠ DNS : TOVITANIA**, short cross pattée. SCBC 8136; Elias 214a; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1128C; cf. Elias Collection 326; Boudeau –; cf. Poey d'Avant 3028. Fine, toned. Very rare. (\$200)

1854. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. BI Denier au lion (19mm, 0.98 g, 11h). La Rochelle mint. [...] **PDO : GENIT** [...], leopard couchant left; **R** below; all within tressure of arches / [...] **CAI : TOVIT** [...], short cross pattée. Currently unpublished for this mint, but see SCBC 8138. Fine. Very rare. (\$500)

1855. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. BI Denier (17.5mm, 0.78 g, 4h). Limoges mint. **✠ ED : PO : GNS : REGIS : ANGLIA : L**, plain short cross; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third / **✠ PRNAPS ✠ TOVITANIA ✠ L**, short cross pattée. SCBC 8139; Elias 219; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1131; cf. Elias Collection 332-3; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. Fine, rough surfaces, deposits. Very rare. (\$200)

1856. ANGLO-GALLIC. Edward the Black Prince. As Prince of Aquitaine, 1362-1372. BI Denier (18mm, 0.79 g, 10h). Limoges mint. **✠ ED : PO : GNS : REGI : ANGLIA : L**, plain short cross; lis in first and fourth quarters, leopard in second and third / **✠ PRNAPS ✠ TOVITANIA ✠ L**, short cross pattée. SCBC 8139; Elias 219; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1131; cf. Elias Collection 332-3; Boudeau –; Poey d'Avant –. VF, roughness. Rare. (\$200)

Ex Monnaies d'Antan 9 (12 May 2011), lot 859.



1857. ANGLO-GALLIC. Richard II. 1377-1399. AR Hardi d'argent (17.5mm, 0.88 g, 7h). **RICARD' R X · RGLA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Richard in arch / **·FRANC IA · DN S · ROITTEA**, long cross pattée; leopard in first and fourth quarters, lis in second and third. SCBC 8143; Elias 228; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1136; Elias Collection 337; Boudeau 515; Poey d'Avant 3105. VF, toned. (\$200)

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Double Hardi in the Name of Henry



1858. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry IV-VI. 1399-1461. AR Double hardi d'argent (24mm, 1.95 g, 5h). **·HENRICVS · REX · ANGLIA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Henry in arch; annulet over crown / **·FRANC IA · DN S · ROITTEA**, long cross pattée; leopard in first and fourth quarters, lis in second and third. SCBC 8146; Elias 232; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1139; Elias Collection 341 (this coin); Boudeau —; cf. Poey d'Avant 3115 (Henry IV). Fine/VF, toned. Very rare. (\$1000)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex Finn FPL 16 (1999), no. 512; E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 341, purchased from de Mey, 1978.



1859. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry IV-VI. 1399-1461. AR Hardi d'argent (17mm, 1.16 g, 8h). **·HENRIC' R X · RGLA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Henry in arch; annulet over crown / **·FRANC IA DN S · ROITTEA**, long cross pattée; leopard in first and fourth quarters, lis and annulets in second and third. SCBC 8147; Elias 233e; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1140; Elias Collection —; Boudeau 517 (Henry IV); Poey d'Avant 3120 (Henry IV). Good VF. (\$200)

1860. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry IV-VI. 1399-1461. AR Hardi d'argent (19mm, 1.27 g, 8h). **·HENRIC' R X · RGLA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Henry in arch; annulet over crown / **·FRANC IA DN S · ROITTEA**, long cross pattée; leopard in first and fourth quarters, lis and annulets in second and third. SCBC 8147; Elias 233e; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1140; Elias Collection —; Boudeau 517 (Henry IV); Poey d'Avant 3120 (Henry IV). VF, toned, ghosting. (\$200)



1861. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry IV-VI. 1399-1461. AR Hardi d'argent (19mm, 0.95 g, 3h). **·HENRIC' R · RGLA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Henry in arch; mullet over crown / **·FRANC IA DN S · ROITTEA**, long cross pattée; leopard in first and fourth quarters, lis and annulets in second and third. SCBC 8147; Elias 233f; Duplessy, *Féodales* 1140; Elias Collection 345; Boudeau 517 (Henry IV); Poey d'Avant —. VF, toned, ghosting. Rare. (\$200)



1862. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry IV-VI. 1399-1461. AR Hardi d'argent (18.5mm, 0.73 g, 10h). Contemporary imitation. **HERIC R TGLA**, crowned half-length facing bust of Henry in arch; [annulet over crown?] / **FRANCIA DNI TANI**, long cross pattée; leopard and pellet in first and fourth quarters, lis and pellet in second and third. SCBC 8147; cf. Elias 233; cf. Duplessy, *Féodales* 1140; Elias Collection –; cf. Boudeau 517 (Henry IV); cf. Poey d'Avant 3117. Fine. (\$100)

The Royal French Coinage of the Lancastrians



1863. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry V. 1413-1422. AR Florette (24mm, 2.86 g, 4h). Rouen mint; im: pellet under 16th/15th letters. First issue, authorized 14 January 1419. **+ HENRICVS : FRANCORV : REX**, crown over three lis / **+ SIT : NOMA : DNI : BENEDICTV**, cross fleurée; crown in first quarter, leopard in fourth. SCBC 8156; Elias 246b; Elias Collection 358; Duplessy 435; Ciani 589; Lafaurie 439. VF, toned. (\$300)



1864. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry V. 1413-1422. AR Florette (24mm, 2.56 g, 2h). Rouen mint; im: leopard, annulets under first letters. Fourth issue, authorized 16 June 1420. *** h : REX : ANGLIE : i : HERES : FRANCI**, crown over three lis flanked by rampant lions / *** SIT : NOMA : BENEDICTV**, cross fleurée; crown in first quarter, leopard in fourth. SCBC 8159; Elias 249a; Elias Collection 362 (this coin); Duplessy 435C; Ciani 591; Lafaurie 439 var. (no leopard). Fine, toned. Rare. (\$200)

Purchased from Steve Ford. Ex E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 362, purchased from Vandercammen, 1974.

1865. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry V. 1413-1422. BI Niquet ou léopard (22mm, 1.81 g, 3h). Rouen mint; im: pellets under first letters. Authorized 30 November 1421. **+ h : REX : ANGL : HERES : FRANCI**, crowned leopard passant left; fleur-de-lis above / **+ SIT : NOMA : DNI : BENEDICTV**, large cross pattée; **h** at center; trefoils in angles. SCBC 8162; Elias 260; Elias Collection 367; Duplessy 441; Ciani 593; Lafaurie 445. Good Fine. (\$150)

1866. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry V. 1413-1422. BI Niquet ou léopard (22mm, 2.15 g, 3h). Saint-Lô mint; im: pellets under second letters. Authorized 30 November 1421. **+ h : REX : ANGL : HERES : FRANCI**, crowned leopard passant left; fleur-de-lis above / **+ SIT : NOMA : DNI : BENEDICTV**, large cross pattée; **h** at center; trefoils in angles. SCBC 8162; Elias 261; Elias Collection 370; Duplessy 441; Ciani 593; Lafaurie 445. VF, areas of weak strike. (\$200)



1867. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 3.17 g, 2h). Paris mint; im: crown. Authorized 23 November 1422, struck through 17 December 1423. ✠ **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / ✠ **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTVM**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 279; Elias Collection 392; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. VF, lightly toned. (\$150)



1868. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (26.5mm, 3.19 g, 11h). Amiens mint; im: paschal lamb. Authorized 23 November 1422. ✠ **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / ✠ **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTVM**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 280; Elias Collection 395; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. EF, lightly toned. Very rare. (\$500)



1869. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (30mm, 2.97 g, 2h). Auxerre mint; im: cross ancrée. Authorized 23 November 1422. ✠ **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / ✠ **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTVM**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 281; Elias Collection 397; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Good VF, lightly toned. Rare. (\$300)

Ex E.R. Duncan Elias Collection (Spink 77, 21 June 1990), lot 362; Bourgey (11 March 1985), lot 244 (part of).



1870. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27.5mm, 3.11 g, 3h). Châlons-sur-Marne mint; im: crescent. Authorized 23 November 1422. ☾ **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / ☾ **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTVM**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 282; Elias Collection 401; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. VF, lightly toned. Rare. (\$400)



1871



1872

1871. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 2.93 g, 2h). Châlons-sur-Marne mint; im: crescent. Authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 282b; Elias Collection 404; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. VF, lightly toned. Rare. (\$400)

1872. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (28mm, 3.21 g, 6h). Le Mans mint; im: root. Authorized 23 November 1422, im variant ordered 17 July 1432. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 285a; Elias Collection 407; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Good VF, toned. (\$300)



1873



1874



1875

1873. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27.5mm, 3.05 g, 8h). Le Mans mint; im: root. Authorized 23 November 1422, im variant ordered 17 July 1432. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 285a; Elias Collection 407; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Good VF. (\$300)

1874. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 3.05 g, 6h). Nevers mint; im: mullet over pellet. Authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above; pellet below im / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS**. SCBC 8166; Elias 286c var. (abbreviation mark on rev.); Elias Collection 412b var. (same); Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Near EF. Rare. (\$500)

While to modern eyes the abbreviation marks above the obverse and reverse legend may seem inconsequential, they were apparently very important to French mint officials. On 17 November 1428, the wardens of the Paris mint seized 480 'defective' Grand blancs and had them melted at the expense of the moneyer. For a brief discussion of this phenomenon, see Elias, "The Obligatory Abbreviation Mark on the Blancs of Henry VI," in *NumCirc* XXXVIII.7 (July/August 1980), p. 260.

1875. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 2.95 g, 11h). Rouen mint; im: leopard. Authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 287; Elias Collection 414b; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. VF. (\$150)



1876



1877

1876. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 3.15 g, 9h). Rouen mint; im: leopard and pellet under final letters. Etienne Marcel, mintmaster. Authorized 23 November 1422, variety struck 1433-1444. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 287a; Elias Collection 415; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. EF. (\$200)

1877. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (28mm, 2.98 g, 3h). Saint-Lô mint; im: lis. Authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 288; Elias Collection 417; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Good VF, toned. (\$150)



1878



1879

1878. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. BI Grand blanc aux écus (28mm, 3.26 g, 7h). Contemporary imitation. Copying an issue of Saint-Lô mint; im: lis, authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. Cf. SCBC 8166; cf. Elias 288; cf. Elias Collection 417; cf. Duplessey 445; cf. Ciani 602; cf. Lafaurie 449. VF. (\$100)

1879. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Grand blanc aux écus (27mm, 2.10 g, 10h). Troyes mint; im: rose. Authorized 23 November 1422. **FRANCORVM : ET : ANGLIE : REX**, two coats-of-arms; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark above / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; lis to left, leopard passant to right; **HERICVS** with abbreviation mark below. SCBC 8166; Elias 290a; Elias Collection 423; Duplessey 445; Ciani 602; Lafaurie 449. Good VF, struck on a slightly tight flan. (\$300)



1880. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Petit blanc aux écus (22mm, 1.49 g, 2h). Paris mint; im: crown. Authorized 4 June 1423. **HERICVS : REX**, two coats-of-arms / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; **h R** flanking. SCBC 8167; Elias 292; Elias Collection 426; Duplessey 446; Ciani 603; Lafaurie 450. VF, cleaning scratches on reverse. Rare. (\$300)



1881. ANGLO-GALLIC. Henry VI. 1422-1461. AR Petit blanc aux écus (24mm, 1.55 g, 1h). Rouen mint; im: leopard. Authorized 4 June 1423. **HERICVS : REX**, two coats-of-arms / **SIT : NOMEN : DNI : BENEDICTV**, Latin cross; **h R** flanking. SCBC 8167; Elias 297a; Elias Collection 429; Duplessey 446; Ciani 603; Lafaurie 450. Good VF, toned, minor scratches under tone. Rare. (\$300)

Purchased from Steve Ford.

BRITISH TOKENS

Illustrated in D & H



1882. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Political and Social Series. WM Token (32mm, 10.78 g, 12h). Struck early 1790s. A TREE IS KNOWN BY ITS FRUITS, tree bearing the legend TOMMY'S RIGHTS OF MAN, from which hangs a figure holding out open book, saying I DIE FOR THIS/ DAMN'D BOOK; church in background to left / MAY THE TREE/ OF LIBERTY EXIST TO/ BEAR TOMMY'S/ LAST FRIEND. in five lines within ornamental sprays. D&H 209 (this coin illustrated). Fine. Very rare. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 568.



1883. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Political and Social Series. AR Token (.3.5mm, 10.87 g, 6h). Society for Effecting the Abolition of the Slave Trade. Obverse design after William Hackwood. Struck circa 1790. AM I NOT A MAN AND A BROTHER?, chained male slave kneeling right, raising hands in supplication / WHATSOEVER/ YE WOULD THAT/ MEN SHOULD DO/ TO YOU./ DO YE/ EVEN SO TO/ THEM. in seven lines. D&H 235 bis IV; Eimer 836; BHM 269. Fine. Very rare. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 562; W.J. Noble Collection (Noble 58B, 7 July 1998), lot 397 (part of).



1884. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Corresponding Society/Skidmore's mule. CU Halfpenny Token (30.5mm, 11.66 g, 6h). Dated 1796. Hanging scene; liberty-cap on vine-entwined pole, shield emblazoned with anchor, and obelisk in foreground / LCS cypher. Edge: milled. D&H 290. EF, brown surfaes with considerable red color. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 323.

Extremely Rare Masonic Type



1885. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Corresponding Society/Skidmore's mule. CU Halfpenny Token (29mm, 9.05 g, 6h). Dated 1796. Hanging scene; liberty-cap on vine-entwined pole, shield emblazoned with anchor, and obelisk in foreground / Obelisk with Masonic symbols. D&H 291; Bell, *Political* p. 159 (this coin illustrated). EF, brown surfaces with considerable red color, minor discoloration on obverse. Extremely rare. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 324; W.J. Noble Collection (Noble 58B, 7 July 1998), lot 427; R.C. Bell Collection (Dix, Noonan, & Web 26, 1 October 1996), lot 75.



1886. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of six (6) CU and Brass Halfpenny Tokens. 'Blue Coat Boy' series. All coins: Sailor seizing landsman obverse type. Reverses include: (a) Heart in hand within wreath. Copper. D&H 731 // (b) Heart in hand within wreath. Brass. D&H 731 // (c) Indian. D&H 732 // (d) Lion and rooster. D&H 733 // (e) Conjoined heads of man and donkey. D&H 734 // (f) Cain slaying Able. D&H 735. VF to EF, (b) and (e) lacquered. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 428.



1887. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of five (5) CU Halfpenny Tokens. 'Dog' series. All coins: Dog standing left obverse type. Reverses include: (a) Caduceus. D&H 750 // (b) Cat. D&H 751 // (c) Chained Englishman. D&H 752 // (d) Highlander. D&H 753 // (e) Cain slaying Able. D&H 754. VF to EF. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 433.



1888. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of six (6) CU Halfpenny Tokens. 'C.J. Fox' series. All coins: bust of C.J. Fox obverse type. Reverses include: (a) Britannia seated. D&H 762 // (b) Caduceus. D&H 763 // (c) Caduceus. Milled edge. D&H 763a // (d) Caduceus. Plain edge. D&H 763b // (e) Three citizens bearing arms. D&H 764 // (f) Indian. D&H 765. VF to EF, (c) lacquered. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 436.



1889. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of five (5) CU Halfpenny Tokens. 'French Liberty' series. (a) Frenchman gnawing on bone / Liberty cap over anchor. D&H 774 // 'Gordon' series. Bust of Lord George Gordon obverse type. (b) Britannia seated. D&H 775 // (c) Caduceus. D&H 776 // (d) Heart in hand within wreath. D&H 777 // (e) Cain slaying Abel. D&H 778. VF to EF, (a) and (d) lacquered. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 439. (a) Ex J.R. Farnell Sr. Collection (Part I, Sotheby's New York, 8 December 1981), lot 163 (part of). (b) Ex M.Z. Gerson Collection (Part I, Spink 53, 19 June 1986), lot 254 (part of).



1890. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of six (6) CU Halfpenny Tokens. 'Odd Fellows' series. All coins: janiform head of William Pitt and Charles Fox obverse type. Reverses include: (a) Lion and rooster. Plain edge. D&H 807c // (b) Shepherd reclining. D&H 808 // (c) Shepherd reclining. Engrailed edge. D&H 808a // (d) Shepherd reclining. Plain edge. D&H 808b // (e) Storming of the Bastille. D&H 809 // (f) Boys at turnstile. D&H 810. VF to EF. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 450. (b) Ex T. McGoldrick Collection (Spink 7, 5 December 1979) lot 198 (part of). (c) Ex M.Z. Gerson Collection (Part I, Spink 53, 19 June 1986), lot 268 (part of). (d) Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin 553 (June 1964), pg. 231. (e) Ex M.Z. Gerson Collection (Part I, Spink 53, 19 June 1986), lot 268 (part of); C. Orton Collection (Neale's, 29 October 1980), lot 496.



1891. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of six (6) CU Halfpenny Tokens. 'End of Pain' series. All coins: Hanging scene obverse type. Reverses include: (a) Exploding pants. D&H 827 // (b) Boys at turnstile. D&H 828 // (c) Legend. D&H 831 // (d) Legend. Not struck in collar. D&G 831a // (e) Open book. D&H 833 // (f) Open book. Not struck in collar. D&H 833a. VF to EF, (b) and (e) lacquered. (\$1000)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 454. (b) Ex J.R. Farnell Sr. Collection (Part I, Sotheby's New York, 8 December 1981), lot 164 (part of). (e) Ex W.J. Noble Collection (Noble 58B, 7 July 1998), lot 618 (part of).



Photographs of Lot 1892



1892. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Lot of eight (8) CU Halfpenny and Farthing Tokens. Halfpennies: (a) Thomas Spence's Mules. 'End of Pain' series. Gallows / Open book. D&H 833a // (b) Political and Social Series. Thomas Hardy / Legend. D&H 1024 // (c) D&H 1028 // (d) Industry. Beehive / Shield. D&H 1029 // (e) L.H. Tooke / Legend. D&G 1045a // (f) D&H 1046 // (g) D&H 1047 // (h) Tom Tackle. Sailor brandishing cutlass / Sailor with wooden leg and crutches. D&H 1048 // Farthings: (i) Pro Bono Publico. Bust right / Coat-of-arms. D&H 1068. VF to Good VF. (\$200)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 631. (h) Ex D.E. Litrenta Collection (Dix, Noonan, & Web 65, 16 March 2005), lot 1486.



1893. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Æ Halfpenny Token (29.5mm, 8.97 g, 6h). 'End of Pain' series. Dated 21 January 1793. END OF PAIN, man hanging from gibbet; church in background / Open book inscribed: THE/ WRONGS/ OF/ MAN JANU/ 21:/ 1793. D&H 834. EF, red-brown surfaces, small scratch on reverse. (\$300)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 547.



1894. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Æ Halfpenny Token (31mm, 10.63 g, 6h). 'End of Pain' series. Dated 1797. END OF PAIN, man hanging from gibbet; church in background / FRENCH REFORMS, labeled combustibles issuing from globe; 1797 below. D&H 835. EF, red-brown surfaces, small scratch on reverse. Rare. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 548.



1895. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Proof AR Halfpenny Token (29mm, 12.20 g, 6h). 'End of Pain' series. Dated 1796. NOTED ADVOCATES FOR THE RIGHTS OF MEN, three men hanging from gibbet; 1796 below / A WAY / TO PREVENT / KNAVES' GETTING / A TRICK. in five lines. D&H 837 note. EF, hairlines. Very rare. (\$750)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 537; W.J. Noble Collection (Noble 58B, 7 July 1998), lot 620; P.C. Deane Collection.



1896. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Political and Social Series. Lot of eight (8) CU Halfpenny Tokens. All coins: Chained slave kneeling in supplication / Clasped hands. Various edge varieties. Includes: (a) D&H 1037 // (b) D&H 1038a // (c) D&H 1038a // (d) D&G 1038b // (e) D&H 1038c // (f) D&H 1039a // (g) D&H 1039b // (h) D&H 1039d. VF to EF. (\$500)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 542. (d) Ex W.J. Noble Collection (Noble 58B, 7 July 1998), lot 678 (part of).



1897. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of seven (7) CU Farthing Tokens. 'Adam and Eve' series. All coins: Adam and Eve in the garden obverse type. Reverses include: **(a)** Pig. D&H 1083 // **(b)** Britannia seated. D&H 1084 // **(c)** Man riding donkey-headed bull. D&H 1085 // **(d)** Janiform head of man and donkey. D&G 1086 // **(e)** Padlock. D&H 1087 // **(f)** Pig. D&H 1088 // **(g)** Kneeling slave. D&H 1089. VF to EF. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 475.



1898. TOKENS, Middlesex. London. Thomas Spence's Mules. Lot of three (3) CU Farthing Tokens. 'Three Thomases' series. All coins: Three men hanging from gibbet obverse type. Reverses include: **(a)** Janiform head of man and donkey. D&H 1120 // **(b)** Exploding pants. D&H 1121 // **(c)** Legend. Plain edge. D&H 1123. EF. (\$400)

From the Joseph R Lasser Collection for the benefit of The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Ex Dix, Noonan, & Web (6 October 2010), lot 483.

LARGE LOTS

The 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard Sold on Behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum

By Paul Denis, Curator of the Greek and Roman Collection, Royal Ontario Museum



Dr. Charles Trick Currelly in Egypt in 1906

This group of 6533 Roman bronze coins of the Constantinian Dynasty, dating from 324 to 346, was purchased by Dr. Charles Trick Currelly at Ihnasyah (Fayum), Egypt in 1903. All of their obverses have a head of Constantine or one of his sons, and occasionally another member of the Imperial family, as well as personifications of Rome and Constantinople. Their reverse types promoted a wide range of Roman propaganda from the wolf and the twins to Victory to Pietas, etc.

Dr. Currelly was the Royal Ontario Museum's first Director of Archaeology when the museum opened in 1914 and remained in that office until he retired in 1946. As an archaeologist, Dr. Currelly's early excavations were in Egypt in 1902 and Crete at Palaikastro in 1903. He was also an avid collector for most of his life. Twelve years before the ROM opened, Currelly was acquiring antiquities for Torontonians and teaching collections at local colleges, and in 1905 began collecting in earnest for the future ROM. During these formative years, he befriended Sir William Flinders Petrie and stayed with him and his family in Egypt and London and Sir Arthur Evans whom he would meet in Crete or at the Ashmolean in Oxford. Both men assisted Currelly in acquiring artifacts and many of these objects eventually came to the ROM.

The following account of the hoard is based on its publication by J.G. Milne ("A Hoard of Constantinian Coins From Egypt," *Journal International D'Archéologie Numismatique* 16 [1914], pp. 1–27) and Frederick H. Armstrong ("Roman Coins: The Ihnasyah hoard re-examined," *The Phoenix* [Journal of the Classical Association of Canada] 19 [1965], pp. 51–9). As mentioned above, the group was purchased by Dr. Currelly at Ihnasyah (Fayum), Egypt in 1903. Milne studied the coins and published them in 1914. The coins were struck at 15 mints from Europe to Egypt with the bulk of the coins coming from Rome, Thessalonica, Heraclea, Constantinople, Nicomedia, Cyzicus, Antioch, and Alexandria. He arranged the coins into five groups based on types and chronology from coins minted before 330 to coins struck after 340. Milne fixed the deposit of the hoard to ca. 343–345. Among the insights provided by the hoard, Milne suggested that there was a steady flow of external coins into Egypt but little return flow outward: "probably the money in circulation in Egypt was constantly being depleted by the burial of large hoards.... in consequence of these two processes of hoarding and melting down, the length of time during which a coin was in circulation in Egypt must have been short."

Fifty-one years later, Frederick Armstrong was able to fine-tune Milne's classifications and dating of the coins using Hill, Kent and Carson's *Late Roman Bronze Coinage, A.D. 324-498* (London, 1960). Also, some twenty-five new minor varieties were added to those listed by the British Museum. Armstrong pushed the date of its burial to ca. 346, and suggested the hoard was hidden as result of the riots caused by the quarrels between the Arian Christians and the followers of St. Athanasius. Like Milne, Armstrong pointed out that the closer on a trade route a foreign mint was to Egypt, the greater their number of coins appear in the hoard, with those from Antioch being the most common.

The ROM is deaccessioning these coins in order to generate funds to refine and improve the quality of their collections. All funds received through deaccessioning are directed to collections acquisitions.

For pdfs of Milne's original publication of the hoard and Armstrong's supplementary study, as well as a listing of the inventory numbers of the hoard, see <http://www.cngrcoins/rom>.



A representative sample of the coins contained in the hoard.

1899. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantine I from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1900. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantine I from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1901. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantine I from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1902. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. Includes: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantine I and Constantine II from various mints, mostly eastern. Lot also includes thirty-three (33) folles of Delmatius. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1903. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. Includes: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantine II and Constans from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1904. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constans from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1905. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. Includes: Æ Reduced Folles of Constans and Constantius II from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1906. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantius II from various mints, mostly eastern. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1907. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of six hundred forty-five (645) Constantinian Era Æ. Includes: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantius II from various mints, mostly eastern, as well as a large number of unidentified contemporary issues. Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Six hundred forty-five (645) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

1908. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of seven hundred forty-three (747) Constantinian Era Æ. All coins: Æ Reduced Folles of Constantius II from various mints, mostly eastern, as well as a large number of unidentified contemporary issues. Lot also includes three Alexandria mint provincial Æ (dichalkon of Domitian and one tetradrachm each of Philip I and Claudius II Gothicus, as well as a Mamluk dirham (not part of the hoard). Fair-VF with brown patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Seven hundred forty-three (747) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Sold on behalf of the Royal Ontario Museum. Ex 1903/5 Ihnasyah Hoard. Each individual coin comes in an archival flip and has its own ticket containing museum inventory number and pedigree information.

Large Lots from Other Consignors

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection

1909. GREEK. Spain & Gaul. Lot of one hundred (100) Æ Denominations from Spain. Includes: Various cities and denominations. Fair-Good Fine, mostly with patinas. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred (100) coins in lot. An excellent dealer lot. (\$1000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (includes collection inventory numbers).

1910. GREEK. Northern Greece. Lot of one hundred (100) AR drachms of Apollonia Pontika. All coins: Anchor / Facing gorgoneion. Cf. SNG BM Black Sea 160–1 for type. Fine to VF, with light porosity and deposits. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred (100) coins in lot. (\$3000)

1911. GREEK. Northern Greece. Lot of one hundred (100) AR drachms of Apollonia Pontika. All coins: Anchor / Facing gorgoneion. Cf. SNG BM Black Sea 160–1 for type. Fine to VF, with light porosity and deposits. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred (100) coins in lot. (\$3000)

Three Lots From the BCD Collection of Thessaly

1912. GREEK. Northern Greece. Lot of fifty-four (54) Æ Tetrachalka from Thessalian Larissa. All coins: Head of the nymph Larissa facing slightly left, with hair in ampyx / Horse prancing right. Fair or better, mostly with patinas. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Fifty-four (54) coins in lot. (\$1000)

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1913. GREEK. Northern Greece. Lot of one hundred-two (102) Æ Trichalka from Thessalian Larissa. All coins: Head of the nymph Larissa facing slightly left, with hair in ampyx / Thessalian cavalryman, holding couched lance, on horse charging right. Fair-Fine, mostly with patinas. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred-two (102) coins in lot. (\$1500)

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1914. GREEK. Northern Greece. Lot of one hundred-two (102) Æ Denominations from Phalanna. All coins: Male head right / Head of nymph right, with hair bound in sakkos. A good mixture of tetrachalka, dichalka, and chalkoi denominations. Fair-Fine, mostly with patinas. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred-two (102) coins in lot. (\$1000)

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1915. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of sixty-eight (68) AR Denominations. Includes: Mostly Septimius Severus and family (45), but other emperors and their families represented as well: Trajan (4) // Hadrian (3) // Antoninus Pius (2) with one Divus issue // Diva Faustina Senior // Marcus Aurelius as Caesar (2) // Same, but as Augustus (2) with one Divus issue // Faustina Junior (2) // Lucius Verus (2) // Crispina // Elagabalus. Lot also includes antoninianus of Caracalla. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Sixty-eight (68) coins in lot. (\$2000)

1916. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of two hundred thirty-five (235) Antoniniani. Includes: Mostly issues of Gallienus (192), but other emperors and empresses represented as well: Trebonianus Gallus // Valerian I (9) // Valerian II Caesar (3) // Salonina (11) // Claudius II Gothicus (19). Fine-VF, many with nearly full silvering. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Two hundred thirty-five (235) coins in lot. (\$2000)

1917. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of twenty (20) Constantinian Æ Centenionales. Includes: Constans and Constantius II. Variety of reverse types, mostly from Thessalonica mint, but a few from neighboring mints included. VF or better, some with traces of silvering. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Twenty (20) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1918. ROMAN. Imperial. Lot of two hundred-five (205) Late Roman Small Module Æ. Includes: Æ Reduced Folles of Divus Constantine and his sons from various mints, as well as smaller Æ from some of the emperors of the House of Theodosius. Average VF with desert patina. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Two hundred-five (205) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1919. ISLAMIC. Umayyad Governors of Multan. Lot of four hundred (400) AR Dammas. All coins: Three pellets with stylized Brahmi and Arabic Brahmi legend. Average Fine or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Four hundred (400) coins in lot. (\$750)

1920. ISLAMIC. Umayyad Governors of Multan. Lot of five hundred sixty-one (561) AR and Æ. Includes: Mostly AR dammas and Æ. Lot also includes pre-Islamic issues. Average Fine or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Five hundred sixty-one (561) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1921. WORLD. Hungary. Lot of two thousand (2000) AR Denars. All coins: Coat-of-arms / Madonna seated facing, holding infant with both arms. All 16th and 17th century issues. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Two thousand (2000) coins in lot. (\$5000)

1922. WORLD. India, Islamic Sultanates. Lot of ten (10) AR Tankas of Sultans of Malwa. Includes: Various rulers and dates. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1923. WORLD. India, Islamic Sultanates. Lot of ten (10) AR Tankas of Sultans of Malwa. Includes: Various rulers and dates. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1924. WORLD. India, Islamic Sultanates. Lot of ten (10) AR Tankas of Sultans of Malwa. Includes: Various rulers and dates. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1925. WORLD. India, Mughal Empire. Lot of eleven (11) AR Rupees. Includes: Aurangzeb (2) // Shah Alam Bahadur // Farrukhsiyar (3) // Muhammad Shah (4) // Shah Alam II. Various mints and dates. VF-EF. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Eleven (11) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1926. WORLD. India, Mughal Empire. Lot of ten (10) AR Rupees. Includes: Aurangzeb (3) // Shah Alam Bahadur (2) // Farrukhsiyar (2) // Muhammad Shah (3). Various mints and dates. VF-EF. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1927. WORLD. India, Mughal Empire. Lot of ten (10) AR Rupees. Includes: Aurangzeb (2) // Shah Alam Bahadur (2) // Farrukhsiyar (6). Various mints and dates. VF-EF. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1928. WORLD. India, Mughal Empire. Lot of ten (10) AR Rupees. Includes: Aurangzeb (3) // Shah Alam Bahadur (2) // Farrukhsiyar (2) // Muhammad Shah (3). Various mints and dates. VF-EF. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1929. WORLD. India, Mughal Empire. Lot of ten (10) AR Rupees. Includes: Aurangzeb (4) // Farrukhsiyar (3) // Muhammad Shah (3). Various mints and dates. VF-EF. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Ten (10) coins in lot. (\$1000)

1930. WORLD. India, Independent States. Lot of Fifty (50) AV Fanams. All coins: Tipu Sultan. Legend with titles of Tipu and AH date / Persian “‘ain”. Mostly Patan and Farrukhi mints, AM 1216 and 1217. VF, some better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Fifty (50) coins in lot. (\$2000)

Ex Triton XVI (8 January 2013), lot 1729.

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection

1931. WORLD. Spain & Related. Lot of one hundred (100) AR Minors from Spain, Spanish Italy, and Spanish Colonial. Includes: Various states and denominations. Fair-Good Very Fine. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. One hundred (100) coins in lot. (\$1000)

Ex Archer M. Huntington Collection (includes collection inventory numbers).

An excellent dealer lot.

1932. WORLD. Miscellaneous. Lot of forty-three (43) AR, CU-NI, and Æ Denominations. Includes: Mostly Switzerland AR and Æ Denominations, including Æ Rappen dated 1870 (31 coins total). Lot also includes: FRANCE, AR Franc (3) // GERMANY, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, AR 2 Mark // GREECE, AR 5 Drachma (2) // CU-NI 20 Lepta and 10 Lepta // PANAMA, AR 50 Centesimos // PUERTO RICO, AR 20 Centavos and 5 Centavos // PHILIPPINES, AR 20 Centavos. VF or better. LOT SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS. Forty-three (43) coins in lot. (\$1000)

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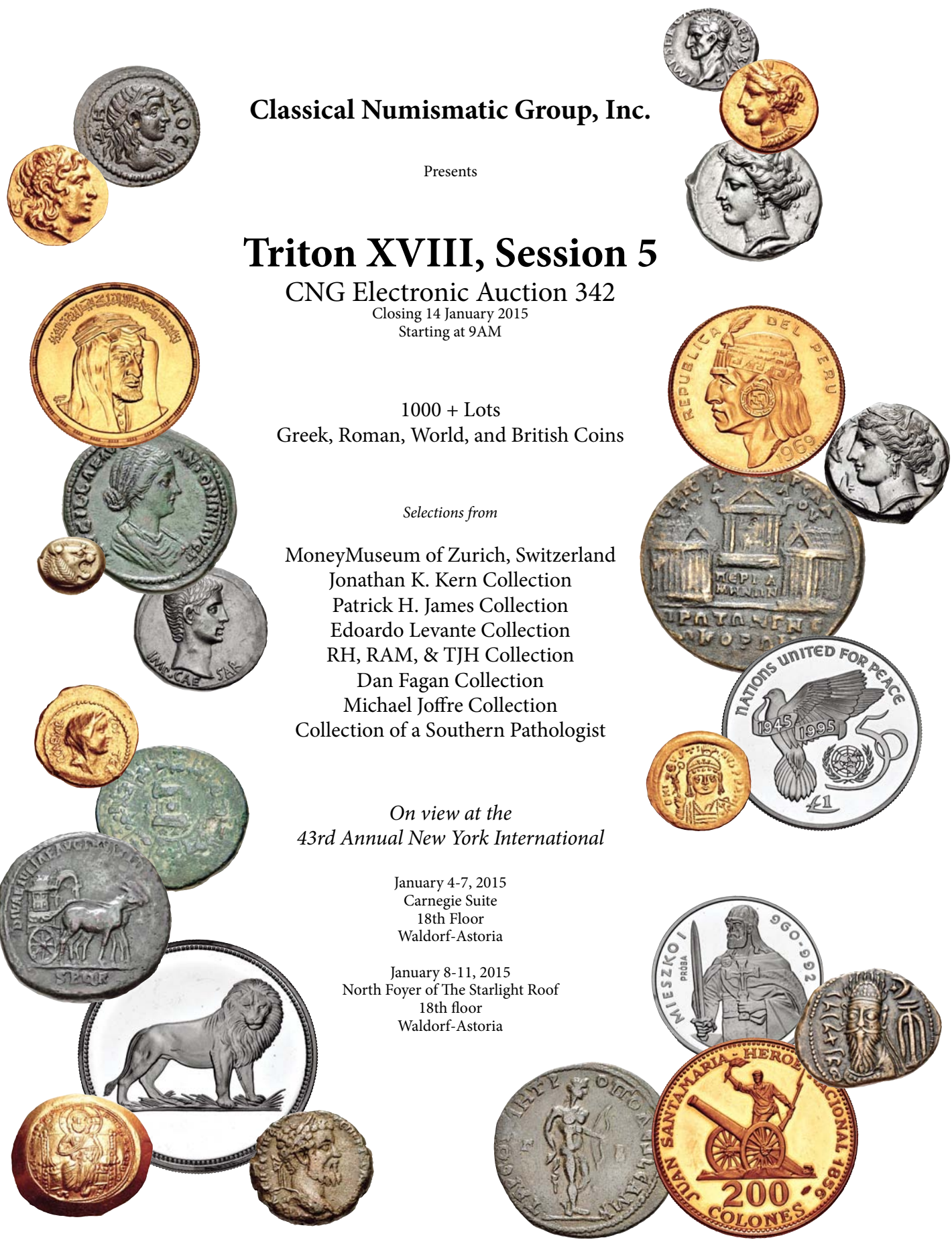
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